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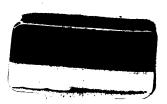
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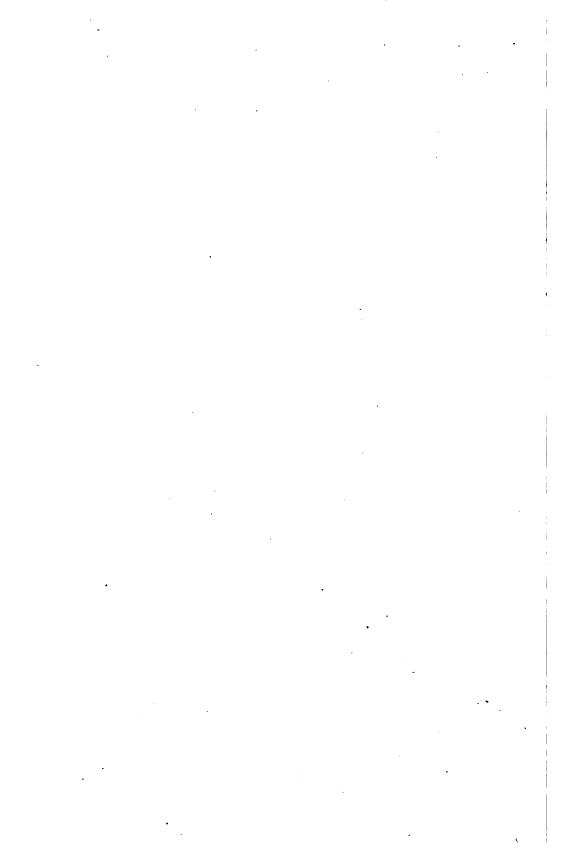
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During the

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of the

SEVENTY-FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Commencing Friday, January 16, 1920

Special Session

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OF THE

State Senate of Indiana

FRIDAY MORNING.

January 16, 1920.

The Senate was called to order at 10 o'clock by Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush, President of the Senate.

Prayer was offered by Rev. W. P. Marsh, of Middletown, Indiana.

The President ordered the roll call. The following responded to their names: Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Erskine, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Kolsem, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Maier, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Retherford, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 48.

By direction of the President the principal Secretary read the call for the Special Session issued by Governor James P. Goodrich as follows:

PROCLAMATION.

The constitution of the State devolves upon the Governor the duty of calling a special session of the General Assembly whenever in his opinion the public welfare shall require it.

In my opinion the public welfare does now require a special session of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana.

Therefore, I, James P. Goodrich, by virtue of the authority so conferred upon me as the Governor of said State, do hereby call upon the General Assembly of the State to convene in special session on Friday, January 16, A. D. 1920, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Indiana, at the Capitol in the City of Indianapolis, this 13th day of January in the year of our Lord, 1920, in the year of the Independence of the United States the 144th and in the year of the admission of the State of Indiana, the 104th.

J. P. GOODRICH, Governor. By the Governor.

WILLIAM A. ROACH,

Secretary of State.

The President of the Senate, Edgar D. Bush, addressed the Senate as follows:

Gentlemen of the Senate:

I shall endeavor to be very brief in my remarks on this occasion. I am and have always been in favor of the speedy ratification of the Federal Suffrage Amendment. I have furthermore consistently advocated a special session of the General Assembly for the purpose of ratifying the suffrage amendment and of attending to any other State business which the Legislature, when assembled, might regard to be in the interest of the public welfare.

Very recently I was presented by the representatives of the Women's Franchise League of Indiana with 86,000 certified petitions signed by citizens of our State, urging the calling of a special session and the ratification of the Suffrage Amendment. These petitions are now on my desk and I will officially lay them before the Senate at the proper time. I promised the women of our State when I was presented with these petitions that I would do all in my power to secure a call of the General Assembly for the purpose of attending to this matter and other State business. While we have met today under very peculiar and irregular conditions, I hope that nothing which I may say will prevent the immediate ratification of the Suffrage Amendment.

The Governor, as you all know, saw fit to qualify his promise to call the General Assembly with the conditions that two-thirds of the members agree in advance of the call to limit the work of this session to the consideration of the Suffrage Amendment only.

In so far as the amendment is concerned, I regret very much that I could not sign this agreement. In my opinion one can ill afford to take an oath of office to support the Constitution and subsequently sign an agreement to substitute the wishes of any exterior agency for the sovereign law laid down in the Constitution itself.

The Constitution of Indiana authorizes the Governor of our State to call a special session of the General Assembly, when in his opinion the general welfare demands it; and the limit of the session is fixed by the Constitution. Right at this point, executive authority ceases and legislative authority begins.

ARTICLE 4, Section 10, of the Constitution, says: "Each House when assembled shall determine its own mode of proceeding and shall sit upon its own adjournment." No external power on earth has any right to determine the nature of the proceedings of the Legislature, except the members themselves, and they can do so only when assembled. The legislative branch of our government is a sovereign body, created by a free people, for the purpose of making laws; it is a law unto itself, subservient to no one except the people and amenable to them by and under the Constitution only. The Constitution of our State is not a scrap of paper. Its makers never intended that a session of the General Assembly should be a ratification meeting. On the contrary, they intended that the Legislature should be the

supreme and only law making branch of our government. Had they intended to repose the law making power in the executive branch, they would not have given the Governor the power to veto laws made by himself, nor does it empower him to prearrange the making of laws.

ARTICLE 5, Section 14, of the Constitution clearly states that bills filed with the Secretary of State with the Governor's objections shall be presented to the Legislature by the Secretary of State. I for one could not see, when I was asked to sign this pre-session agreement, how I could refuse to permit the Secretary of State to do his sworn constitutional duty. I am pleased to learn that this official will be bound only by his oath of office and will lay certain unfinished business before us at this time.

There are some other very important matters which should be attended to at this time by us if we are to represent the people in the fullest and most complete sense of the word. I regret that there are those who may feel that their hands are tied and that they can not now render this service to the people.

The present Tax Law was passed by this Assembly in the closing hours of the last session. There is a crying demand from the people of this State for the reconstruction of certain features of the law. In my opinion it is imperative that we amend this law by striking out those portions which confer autocratic power on the State Board of Tax Commissioners; encroach upon the legislative branch of our government and deprive the people, of the different localities in our State, of the right to determine their own local affairs and to exercise in the fullest measure the great American privilege of local self-government.

The disposition to centralize and consolidate all the powers of government today, in the hands of the Executive, to be exercised by appointive boards and commissions, is a dangerous symptom in government. It destroys the right and the ability of people to govern themselves. We should retain both if we cherish our freedom. We can not afford to surrender our rights as individuals or as lawmakers. Centralization of power should receive its death blow now. Why wait.

At this particular seething period of unrest when a profound regard for law and law obedience is crucial test; when institutions are trembling and American souls are pleading for a real Americanism, Indiana's lawmakers should give, and give now, auspicious hearing to America's one real organization—The American Legion—whose members have defended and are now protecting, so heroically, our ideals against encroachment by the autocrats and anarchists of the world. This patriotic body of men are knocking at our door and asking for a home. We owe it to America to give it to them and we should do it now.

Gentlemen of this Senate, you sit there in your seats as the sovereign representatives of the people. You can sign away your individual rights, but your sovereign rights—never. They belong to the people whose sworn servants you are. If you are to sit here and make laws for the people you must not disregard the organic law—the Constitution of this State—say what you may, do as you choose, but I say to you that you are violating the Constitution and breaking faith with the people when you substitute

a prearranged, so-called agreement for the solemn mandates of the Constitution of our State. I admonish you, think seriously, before you do it.

Let us do our whole duty. We can not afford to do less.

Let us speedily ratify the Federal Suffrage Amendment, thereby rendering full justice to the women of our State.

Let us then do our duty to ourselves, to our oath of office and to all the people by attending to any necessary legislation.

To do this—is our sacred right and solemn duty under the Constitution—a covenant which we can not afford to treat lightly.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

A committee from the House appeared and reported that the House was organized and ready for business.

The committee also invited the Senate to meet with the House to listen to the Governor's message.

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 37.

Senator Negley offered the following resolution:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

Resolved, That a committee of five be appointed to notify the House that the Senate has been organized and with the following named officers is prepared to proceed with coordinate business.

President Pro Tem., Harry E. Negley.

Principal Secretary, Harry N. Styner.

· Principal Doorkeeper, Jerome Brown.

NEGLEY, Senator.

Which resolution was adopted.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the rules of the Seventy-first General Assembly of the State of Indiana be the rules of this Special Session until such time as changes therein be made.

McConaha, Senator.

Motion prevailed.

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 38.

Senator Oscar Ratts offered the following resolution:

MR. PRESIDENT:

. I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

Resolved, That there be appointed by the President of the Senate a committee of five to act with a like committee from the House, to await upon the Governor, and to notify him of the organization of both Houses of General Assembly in Special Session; and that they are ready for the transaction of public business; and to learn the time the Governor will deliver his message.

RATTS, Senator.

Which resolution was adopted.

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move that the Senate now repair to the House Chamber to receive the special message of the Governor.

FURNAS, Senator.

Motion prevailed.

Senate reconvened 11 o'clock a. m.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed House Bill No. 505 and the same is herewith transmitted to the Senate for further action.

JOHN W. THIEL, Clerk of the House.

The following communication from William A. Roach, Secretary of State, was now submitted to the Senate by President Edgar D. Bush.

MB. PRESIDENT:

I am transmitting you herewith vetoed Senate Bill No. 91, which was returned to this office from the Seventy-first General Assembly and submit the same to you for further action.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM A. ROACH, Secretary of State.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were Senators Arnold, Bracken, Elsner, Hagerty, Hepler, Laney. Total, 6.

Those voting in the negative were Senators Alldredge, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Dobyns, Dorrell, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hogston, Kiper, Kline, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Maier, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Ratts, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Wolfson. Total 32.

The bill failed to pass.

The President announced that he had received 86,000 petitions asking for the ratification of the Women's Suffrage Bill.

Referred to a Committee of the Whole.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 43.

MB. PRESIDENT:

Whereas, Both houses of the Sixty-sixth Congress of the United States of America, by a constitutional majority of two-thirds thereof, adopted the proposition, and proposed to amend the Constitution of the United States of America, in manner and form and in the following words and figures, to-wit:

"Sixty-sixth Congress of the United States of America:

"Begun and held at the City of Washington on Monday, the Nineteenth Day of May, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Nineteen.

"JOINT RESOLUTION.

"Proposing an amendment to the Constitution extending the right os suffrage to women.

"Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled (two-thirds of each House concurring therein) that the following article is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution, which shall be valid to all intents and purposes as part of the Constitution when ratified by the Legislatures of three-fourths of the several states.

"Article ----

"The right of citizens of the United States to vote shall not be denied or abridged by the United States or by any state on account of sex.

"Congress shall have power to enforce this article by appropriate legislation."

F. H. GILLETT,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
THOS. R. MARSHALL,

Vice President of the United States and President of the Senate.

And which resolution is now on file in the office of the Secretary of State, therefore,

Be It Resolved, by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, the Senate and House concurring, in special session duly and legally assembled as by law provided:

Section I. That the said and foregoing set out proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States of America be, and the same hereby is, in all things and particulars, ratified and confirmed by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, in special session duly and legally assembled.

Section 2. That certified copies of this preamble, and joint resolution, and all proceedings legally therewith and herewith connected, be forwarded by the Governor of the State of Indiana, through the proper channels, to the Secretary of State of the Federal Government of the United States of America, at Washington, D. C., and to the presiding officer of the United State Senate, and to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States of America.

NEGLEY, ALLDREDGE,

Senators.

Senate motion to suspend Senate Joint Rules on Senate Joint Resolution No. 43.

Senator Signs submitted the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

Whereas, An emergency exists for action without delay upon Senate Joint Resolution No. 43.;

I move that the Constitutional rules be suspended, and that said Joint Resolution be now on this day read a second time and then considered engrossed and then read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Signs, Senator.

The roll was called.

Roll call on Suspension of Rules on Senate Joint Resolution No. 43. Those voting in the affirmative:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Laney, McConaha, McKinley, Maier, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total, 37.

Those voting in the negative:

Bracken, Cravens, Dorrell, Hagerty, Kline, McCray. Total, 6.

The Chair ordered the resolution read second time, considered engrossed, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

The roll was called. Those voting in the affirmative were:

Senators Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Laney, McConaha, McCullough, McKinley, Maier, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Retherford, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 43.

Those voting in the negative were: Senators Erskine, Kolsem, McCray, Total 3.

So the Joint Resolution was concurred in.

SENATE MOTION.

Senator Furnas made the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the vote by which Senate Joint Resolution No. 43 has just passed be reconsidered.

FURNAS, Senator.

Which motion did not prevail.

HOUSE BILL No. 505.

A bill for an act to appropriate \$10,000 to defray the expense of the Special Session of the Seventy-first Session of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana.

Referred to the Finance Committee.

MOTION TO ADJOURN.

No Senator Negley submitted the following motion:

MB. PRESIDENT:

I move that this Senate when it does adjourn then adjourn to the hour of 2:30 p. m. on this day.

NEGLEY, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred House Bill No. 505, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

McConaha,

Chairman.

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move that the Constitutional Rules be suspended and that House Bill No. 505 be read a second time and then considered engrossed and then read a third time and placed upon its passage.

Hogston, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Senators Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Cravens, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, James, Kiper, Kline, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Maier, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 41.

So the rules were suspended.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Senators Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Dobyns, Dorrell, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hepler, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Maier, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 39.

None voting in the negative. So the bill passed.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Senate Engrossed Joint Resolution No. 43 and the same is herewith returned to the Senate.

JOHN W. THIEL, / Clerk of the House.

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move that a committee of three be appointed to proceed to the House and learn if it has any further communications for this Senate.

NEGLEY, Senator.

The Chair handed down House Concurrent Resolution No. 1 concerning the transfer of the statue of Abraham Lincoln from Washington, D. C., to Lincoln City, Indiana.

Whereas, A statue erected to the memory of Abraham Lincoln in the City of Washington, D. C., is now being torn down and dismantled, leaving the statue intact, therefore.

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives, the Senate concurring, That the Senators in the Congress of the United States from the State of Indiana be instructed and the Representatives be requested to use their best efforts to procure the statue of Abraham Lincoln now in the City of Washington, D. C., for and in behalf of the State of Indiana, and to take such steps as may be necessary to secure the transportation of the same and the erection thereof in the Nancy Hanks Lincoln Burial Ground at Lincoln City, Indiana, where lies the body of the mother of Abraham Lincoln.

KIPER, Senator.

Which resolution was concurred in.

The Committee on Accounts herewith submits the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Mileage and Accounts herewith submits the following report and recommends its adoption:

NEDJL, SMITH, DORRELL,

Senators.

·	Miles.	Amount.
Alldredge, John S	76	\$15.20
Arnold, William A	300	60.00
Bainum, Charles A	234	46.80
Beardsley, Andrew H	280	56.00
Bowers, William E	296	59.20
Bracken, Robert	94	18.00
Brown, Will	301	60.20
Cravens, Joseph M	174	34.80
Decker, John F	198	39.60
Dobyns, Lem P	96	19.20
Dorrell, Thomas	28	5.60
Douglass, Maurice	88	17.60
Duffey, Luke W		
Duncan, Estes	100	20.00
Elsner, Edward P	126	25.20
English, William E	• • •	
Furnas, Miles J	144	28.80
Grant, Thomas	284	56.80
Hagerty, Charles A	280	56.00
Hepler, George Y	298	59.60
Hogston, Alfred	14 0	28.00
Humphreys, James H	170	34.00

James, Edward B	150	30.00
Kiper, Roscoe	398	79.60
Kline, Oliver	212	42.40
Kolsem, Jacob C	146	25.20
Laney, George L	130	26.00
McConaha, Walter	136	27.20
McCray, Franklin	•••	
McCullough, William A	406	81.20
McKinley, Arthur D	110	22.00
Maier, Paul	372	74.40
Masters, J. Fred	•••	
Meeker, Curtis D.	170	34.00
Metzger, Edgar F.	156	31.20
Munton, Clarence J.	320	64.00
Negley, Harry E.		02.00
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Nejdl, James L		68.00
Ratts, Oscar	204	40.80
Retherford, Austin	7 6	15.20
Self, Frank H	280	56.00
Signs, Charles O	200	40.00
Smith, Oscar B	250	50.00
Southworth, Ray M	136	27.20
Strode, Don P	122	24.40
Tague, Cecil C	166	33.20
Wolfson, Aaron	•••	• • • • •

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

January 16, 1920.

MR. PRESIDENT AND GENTLEMEN OF THE SENATE:

I have this day approved Senate Joint Resolution No. 43 and caused the same to be deposited in the office of the Secretary of State.

J. P. GOODRICH,

Governor.

SENATE BILL NO. 346.

Senator Cravens introduced Senate Bill No. 346 entitled:

A bill for an act creating a commission to buy land and erect buildings for American Legion and making appropriation for the said land and buildings.

The bill was read a first time by title. Objections were made to receiving the bill and the roll was called.

Those Senators voting in the affirmative were:

Arnold, Bracken, Cravens, Dorrell, Douglass, Elsner, Hagerty, Hepler, McCullough, Retherford. Total 10.

Those voting in the negative were: Senators Alldredge, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Dobyns, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hogston, James, Kiper, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Maier, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley. Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 32,

So the bill was rejected.

Senator McCray moved that the vote by which Senate Bill No. 346 was rejected be reconsidered.

Senator Wolfson moved that Senator McCray's motion be tabled.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Senators Alldredge, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Dobyns, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hogston, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McKinley, Maier, Masters, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Ratts, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 30.

Those voting in the negative were:

Senators Arnold, Bracken, Cravens, Dorrell, Douglass, Elsner, Hagerty, Hepler, James, McCray, McCullough, Meeker, Nejdl, Retherford. Total 14. So the bill was rejected.

SENATE MOTION.

Senator Furnas submitted the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that any expense that is incurred by this special session and not paid for out of appropriation be paid out of the General Fund.

FURNAS, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

Roll call.

Motion to adjourn special session.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Senators Alldredge, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Maier, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague. Total 34.

Those voting in the negative: Senator Arnold.

So the Senate adjourned sine die.

The President announced that he had just received a message from Senator Kolsem from Washington, D. C., stating that on account of not receiving notice of the special session in time to reach Indianapolis he would be unable to be present.

On motion of Senator Elsner it was ordered that Senator Kolsem be excused from attendance and the Assistant Secretary was directed to send Senator Kolsem a warrant for his per diem and mileage.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your committee on employing assistants and incurring indebtedness having in charge the payment of employees of the Senate has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report that the following named employees be allowed the sum of \$5.00 each for their services this day rendered:

Norma Winscott, Chief Stenographer, \$5.00 per day.

Ferne Ale, Stenographer, \$5.00 per day.

Zell Swain, Roll Clerk, \$5.00 per day.

A. B. Hanson, Registry Clerk, \$5.00 per day.
Claude Phillips, File Clerk, \$5.00 per day.

J. M. Bridgman, Journal Clerk, \$5.00 per day.

Harry Callegan, Journal Clerk, \$5.00 per day.

Robert Shultz, Page, \$2.00 per day.

The same to be paid as other expenses of the Senate are paid.

Reading Clerk William White rendered his services for nothing.

FRANK SELF, Chairman. FRANKLIN MCCRAY. THOS. GRANT. EDGAR D. BUSH.

ONE DAY SESSION.

EDGAR D. BUSH, President. By per diem, 1 day	\$ 8	00		
January 16, Warrant No. 788			\$ 8	00
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WILLIAM M. LOUDEN, Assistant Secretary. By per diem, 1 day	e a	00		
January 16, Warrant No. 764	φυ	00	\$6	0υ
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JEROME BROWN, Principal Doorkeeper.	•	00		
By per diem, 1 day January 16, Warrant No. 785	фO	00	\$6	00
	\$ 6	00	\$6	00
JOHN S. ALLDREDGE, Senator.				
By per diem, 1 day	•	00		
By mileage	15	20		00
January 16, Warrant No. 701 Warrant No. 744			\$15 6	00
	\$21	20		20
WILLIAM A. ARNOLD, Senator.				
By per diem, 1 day	\$ 6	.00	•	
By mileage	60	00		
January 16, Warrant No. 702			\$60	
Warrant No. 751				
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CHARLES A. BAINUM, Senator. By per diem, 1 day	ęρ	00		
By mileage		80		
January 16, Warrant No. 703	10	50	\$46	80
Warrant No. 759			•	00
	\$ 52	80	\$ 52	80

ANDREW H. BEARDSLEY, Senator.				
By per diem, 1 day	\$ 6	00		
By mileage	56	00		
January 16, Warrant No. 706			\$56	00
Warrant No. 795			•	00
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,	\$ 62	00	\$ 62	00
WILLIAM E. BOWERS, Senator.			•	
By per diem, 1 day	\$6	00		
By mileage	59	20		
January 16, Warrant No. 707			\$59	20
Warrant No. 772				00
	\$65	20	\$65	20
ROBERT BRACKEN, Senator.				
By per diem, 1 day	\$ 6	00		
By mileage	18	00		
January 16, Warrant No. 708			\$18	00
Warrant No. 761			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	00
	\$24	00	\$24	00
WILL BROWN, Senator.	-			•
By per diem, 1 day	20	Δ0		
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Warrant No. 794			60	20
	\$66	20	*00	
JOS. M. CRAVENS, Senator.	φυυ	20	\$66	20
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By per diem, 1 day	·	00		
By mileage	34	80		
January 16, Warrant No. 710			\$ 34	
Warrant No. 750			6	00
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LEM DOBYNS, Senator.				
By per diem, 1 day	\$ 6	00		
By mileage	19	20		
January 16, Warrant No. 711			\$19	20
Warrant No. 752			6	00
·	\$25	20	\$25	20
JOHN F. DECKER, Senator.	+-0		Ψ20	40
By per diem, 1 day	20	00		
By mileage		00		
January 16, Warrant No. 711	39	90	**-	•-
Warrant No. 750			\$39	
Warrant No. 752			6	00
	\$45	60	\$45	60

THOMAS DORRELL, Senator.				
By per diem, 1 day	\$ 6	00		
By mileage	5	60		
January 16, Warrant No. 713			\$ 5	60
Warrant No. 749			6	00
	\$11	60	\$11	60
MAURICE DOUGLASS, Senator.				
By per diem, 1 day	\$6	00		
By mileage	17	60		
January 16, Warrant No. 714			\$17	60
Warrant No. 757			6	00
	\$23	60	\$23	60
LUKE W. DUFFEY, Senator.			4	
By per diem, 1 day	\$ 6	00		
January 16, Warrant No. 700	• -	-	\$ 6	00
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ESTES DUNCAN, Senator.				
By per diem, 1 day	\$ 6	00		
By mileage	•	00		
January 16, Warrant No. 715			\$20	00
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EDWARD P. ELSNER, Senator.	••			
By per diem, 1 day		00		
By mileage,	25	20		
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Warrant No. 760			- 6	00
	\$ 31	20	\$31	20
MILES J. FURNAS, Senator.				
By per diem, 1 day	\$ 6	00	•	
By mileage	28	80		
January 16, Warrant No. 704			\$28	80
Warrant No. 705			6	00
· ·	\$34	80	\$34	80
THOMAS GRANT, Senator.				
By per diem, 1 day	\$ 6	00		
By mileage	56	80		
January 16, Warrant No. 717			\$5 6	80
Warrant No. 746			. 6	00
CHARLES E HACKBUY Sanaton	\$ 62	80	\$ 62	80
CHARLES E. HAGERTY, Senator.	00	00		
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GEORGE Y. HEPLER, Senator. By per diem, 1 day By mileage	•	00 60		,
January 16, Warrant No. 719	00	00	\$ 59	60
Warrant No. 792			6	00
	\$65	60		60
ALFRED HOGSTON, Senator.				
By per diem, 1 day		00		
By mileage	38	00	***	
January 16, Warrant No. 720 Warrant No. 748			\$3 8	
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	\$34	00	\$34	00
JAMES H. HUMPHREYS, Senator.				
By per diem, 1 day	•	00		
By mileage	34	00	60.4	00
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	\$40	00	\$40	00
EDWARD B. JAMES, Senator.				
By per diem, 1 day	\$ 6	00		
By mileage	30	00		
January 16, Warrant No. 722			\$30	00
Warrant No. 745			6	00
	\$36	00	\$36	00
ROSCOE KIPER, Senator.			·	
By per diem, 1 day	\$ 6	00		
By mileage	79	60		
January 16, Warrant No. 723			\$79	60
Warrant No. 756			6	00
	\$85	60	 \$85	60
OLIVER KLINE, Senator.				
By per diem, 1 day	\$ 6	00		
By mileage	42	4 0		
January 16, Warrant No. 724			\$4 2	40
Warrant No. 782			6	00
	\$48	<u>40</u>	\$48	40
JACOB C. KOLSEM, Senator.				
By per diem, 1 day	\$ 6	00		
By mileage	29	20		_
January 16, Warrant No. 725			\$29	
Warrant No. 791		_	6	00
	\$ 35	20	\$35	20

GEORGE L. LANEY, Senator.				
By per diem, 1 day	\$6	00		
By mileage		00		
January 16, Warrant No. 725			\$26	00
Warrant No. 773			6	00
	\$32	00	\$32	ου
WALTER McCONAHA, Senator.				
By per diem, 1 day	\$ 6	00		
By mileage	27	20		
January 16, Warrant No. 727			\$27	20
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	\$33	20	\$33	20
FRANKLIN McCRAY, Senator.			•	
By per diem, 1 day	\$ 6	00		
January 16, Warrant No. 763			\$ 6	00
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WILLIAM A. McCULLOUGH, Senator.				
By per diem, 1 day	\$ 6	00		
By mileage	81	20		
January 16, Warrant No. 728			\$81	20
Warrant No. 776			6	00
	\$87	20	\$87	20
ARTHUR D. McKINLEY, Senator.	ψυ.		ψ0.	
By per diem, 1 day	\$ 6	00		
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January 16, Warrant No. 729			\$2 2	00
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	\$28	00	\$28	00
PAUL MAIER, Senator.			•	
By per diem, 1 day	\$ 6	00		
By mileage	74	40		
January 16, Warrant No. 730			\$74	40
Warrant No. 781			6	00
	\$80	40	\$80	40
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By per diem, 1 day	96	00		
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January 16, Warrant No. 731	04	00	\$34	00
Warrant No. 790			•	00
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EDGAR F. METZGER, Senator.			
By per diem, 1 day	\$6	00	
By mileage		20	
January 16, Warrant No. 732	01	20	\$31 20
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	\$ 37	20	\$37 20
CLARENCE J. MUNTON, Senator.			
By per diem, 1 day	•	00	
By mileage	64	00	
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HARRY E. NEGLEY, Senator.	ea.	00	~
By per diem, 1 day	φυ	00	\$ 6 00
January 16, Warrant No. 797			
	\$6	00	\$6 00
JAMES J. NEDJL, Senator.			
By per diem, 1 day	\$6	00	•
By mileage	68	00	
January 16, Warrant No. 734			\$68 00
Warrant No. 778			6 00
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	\$74	00	\$74 00
OSCAR RATTS, Senator.			
By per diem, 1 day	•	00	
By mileage	40	80	***
January 16, Warrant No. 735			\$40 80
Warrant No. 743			6 00
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AUSTIN RETHERFORD, Senator. By per diem, 1 day	\$8	00	
By mileage		20	
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Warrant No. 762			6 00
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	\$21	20	\$21 20
FRANK H. SELF, Senator.			
By per diem, 1 day	\$ 6	00	
By mileage	50	00	
January 16, Warrant No. 737			\$56 00
Warrant No. 798			6 00
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CHARLES O. SIGNS, Senator.	po.	00	
By per diem, 1 day		00	
By mileage	40	00	\$4 0 00
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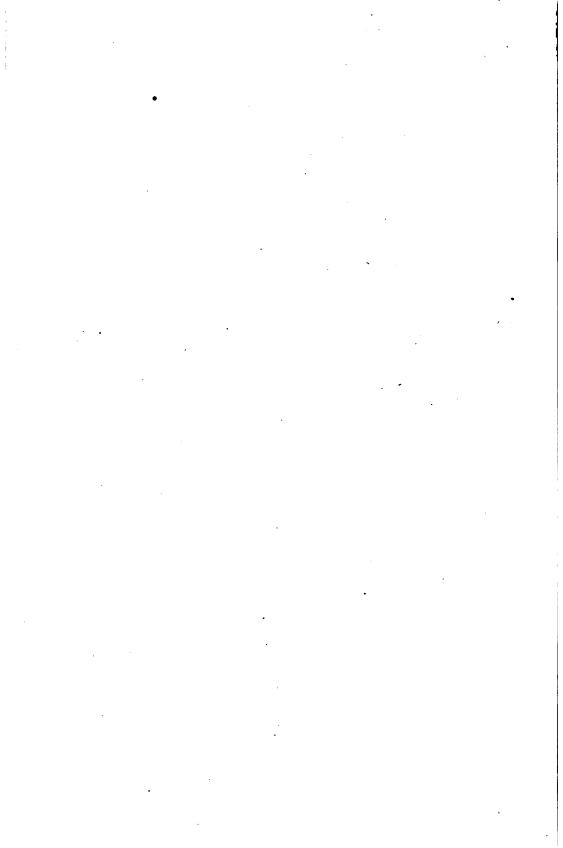
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RAY M. SOUTHWORTH, Senator.				
By per diem, 1 day	\$6	00		
By mileage	27	20		
January 16, Warrant No. 740			\$27	20
Warrant No. 769			6	00
	\$33	20	\$33	20
DON P. STRODE, Senator.				~
By per diem, 1 day	\$ 6	00		
By mileage	24	40		
January 16, Warrant No. 741			\$24	40
Warrant No. 786			6	00
	\$30	40	\$30	40
CECIL C. TAGUE, Senator.	7		400	
By per diem, 1 day	\$ 6	00		
By mileage		20		
January 16, Warrant No. 742			\$3 3	20
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Per diem of Jerome Brown, Principal Doorkeeper				00
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Per diem of George H. Graham				00
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Per diem of stenographers				00
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Asst. Secretary of the Senate.

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(Convened on January 16, 1920)

Name	Politics	Address	County
†Alldredge, John S	Republican	Anderson	Henry, Madison and Tipton.
Arnold William A	Democrat	Salem	Floyd and Washington.
Bainum, Charles A	Republican	Vincennes	Knox and Pike.
*Beardsley, Andrew H	Republican	Elkhart	Elkhart.
Bowers, William E	Republican	New Haven	Allen.
*Bracken, Robert	Democrat	Frankfort	Boone and Clinton.
Prown, William	Republican	Hebron	Jasper, Lake, Newton and Porter.
Cravens, Joseph M	Democrat	Madison	Dearborn, Jefferson, Ohio and Switzerland.
Decker, John F	Democrat	Bluffton	Adams, Blackford and Wells.
*Dobyns, Lem P	Republican	Greensburg	Decatur, Hancock and Rush.
*Dorrell, Thomas	Democrat	Greenwood, R. R. 19	Brown, Johnson and Monroe.
Douglass, Maurice	Democrat	Flat Rock	Bartholomew and Shelby.
Duffey, Luke W	Republican	Indianapolis	Ma-ion.
Duncan, Estes	Republican	Cloverdale	Montgomery and Putnam
*Elsner, Edward P	Democrat	Seymour	Clarke, Jackson and Scott.
†*English, William E	Republican	Indianapolis	Hamilton, Hendricks and Marion.
Erskine, Charles A	Democrat	Evansville	Vanderburgh.
Furnas, Miles J	Republican	Lynn	Jay and Randolph.
Grant, Thomas	Republican	Crown Point	Lake.
*Hagerty, Charles A	Democrat	South Bend	St. Joseph and Marshall.
Hepler, George Y	Democrat	South Bend	St. Joseph.
Hogston, Alfred	Republican	Marion	Grant.
Humphreys, James H	Democrat	Inton	Green and Sullivan.
James, Edward B	Republican	Dana	Fountain, Vermillion and Warren.
Kiper, Roscoe	Republican	Boonville	Vanderburgh and War ick.
Kline, Oliver	Republican	Huntington	Huntington and Whitley.
*Kolsem, Jacob C	Democrat	Terre Haute	Vigo.
*Laney, George L	Democrat	Rockville	Parke and Vigo.
McConaha, Walter	Republican	Richmond	Fayette and Wayne.
*McCray, Franklin	Republican	Indianapolis	Marion.
McCullough, Wm. A	Democrat	Rockport	Daviess, Dubois and Spencer.
*McKinley, Arthur D	Republican	Muncie	Delaware.
Maier, Paul	Republican	Griffin	Gibson and I'osey.
†Masters, J Fred	Republican	Indianapolis	Marion.
Meeker, Curtis D	Republican	Monticello	Carroll, Pulaski and White.
*Metsger, Edgar F	Republican	Logansport	Cass and Fulton.
*Munton, Charles J	Republican	Kendallville	Lagrange, Noble and Steuben.
*Negley, Harry E	Republican	Indianapolis	Marion.
*Neidl, James	Republican	Whiting	Lake.
†Ratts, Oscar	Republican	Paoli	Lawrence, Martin and Orange.
*Retherford, Austin	Democrat	Anderson	Madison.
Self, Frank H	Republican	Corydon	Crawford, Harrison and Perry.
*Signs, Charles O	Republican	North Manchester	Kosciusko and Wabash.
*Smith. Oscar B	Republican	Knox	Laporte and Starke.
Southworth, Ray M	Republican	West Lafavette	Benton and Tippecanoe.
Strode, Donald P	Republican	Kokomo	Howard and Miami.
Tague, Cecil C.	Republican	Brookville	Franklin, Jennings, Ripley and Union.
*Wolfson, Aaron		Indianapolis	Marion.

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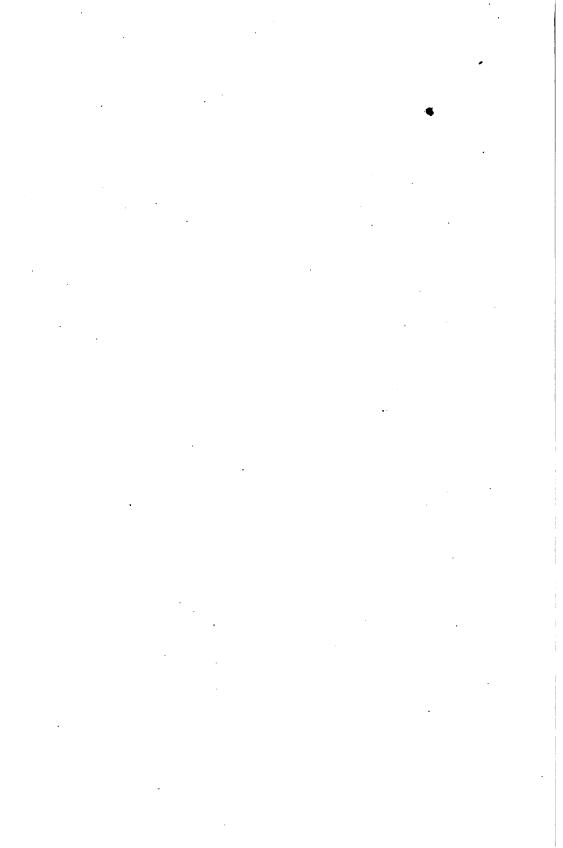
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MONDAY AFTERNOON.

July 12, 1920.

Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush, President of the Senate, called the Senate to order at 1:30 p. m. and prayer was offered by Rev. A. B. Philputt of the Central Christian Church of Indianapolis.

Roll was called and the following Senators answered to their names: Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Erskine, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Kolsem, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Maier, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 45.

The Chair announced a quorum present.

The Governor's Proclamation was read as follows:

PROCLAMATION.

The Constitution of the State devolves upon the Governor the duty of calling a special session of the General Assembly whenever, in his opinion, the public welfare shall require it.

In my opinion the public welfare does now require a special session of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana.

Therefore, I, James P. Goodrich, by virtue of the authority so conferred upon me as the Governor of said State, do hereby call upon the General Assembly of the State of Indiana to convene in special session on Monday, July 12, A. D. 1920, at 1:30 p. m.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Indiana at the Capitol, in the City of Indianapolis, this fifth day of July, in the year of our Lord, 1920, in the year of the Independence of the United States 145th, and in the year of the admission of the State of Indiana 104th.

J. P. GOODRICH,

By the Governor.

Governor.

ED. JACKSON,

Secretary of State.

On motion of Senator Negley, it was ordered that the Governor's Proclamation be incorporated in the Journal of the Senate.

Senate Ratts offered the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 1.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

Resolved, That there be appointed by the President of this Senate a committee of four members, to act with a like committee from the House, to wait upon the Governor and to notify him of the organization of both Houses of this General Assembly; and that they are ready for the transaction of public business; and to ascertain the time when the Governor will deliver his message to the two Houses in joint assembly.

RATTS, Senator.

On motion the resolution was adopted and the Chair appointed the following committee: Senators Humphreys, Negley, Hepler and Smith.

Senator Duncan offered the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 2.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

Resolved, That a committee of five be appointed by the President of this Senate to notify the House that the Senate has been organized, and with the following names duly elected, is prepared to proceed with coordinate business of this General Assembly.

President Pro Tempore-Senator Harry E. Negley.

Principal Secretary-Harry N. Styner.

Principal Doorkeeper-Jerome Brown.

Assistant Secretary-William Louden.

DUNCAN, Senator.

On motion the resolution was adopted. Senator Smith offered the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 3.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

Resolved, That the rules of the last preceding Regular Session of this Senate be adopted as the rules of this Special Session, until such changes are made therein as may be adopted by this Special Session.

SMITH, Senator.

On motion the resolution was adopted. Senator Beardsley offered the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 4.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

Resolved, That George H. Graham, the Postmaster of this Senate, be authorized to receive from the United States Postmaster of Indianapolis, all mail that may be directed to the members of this Senate or its employees, or in care of this Senate or any member or employee thereof. And that a

certified copy of this resolution be transmitted by the Principal Secretary of this Senate to the United States Postmaster at Indianapolis, Indiana, for his guidance in the premises.

BEARDSLEY, Senator.

On motion the resolution was adopted. Senator Negley offered the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 5.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

RESOLUTION.

Whereas, The inevitable end of all men has been again impressed upon the membership of this body by the death of our esteemed member, Senator Austin M. Retherford, during the vacation of this body; and,

Whereas, Upon the occasion of the funeral of our deceased member the Lieutenant-Governor appointed in vacation and adjournment a Memorial Committee from among the members of this Senate to attend the funeral of our deceased member in representation of this body as a whole; and which committee prepared and presented to the family of our deceased member a Memorial expressive of the sentiment of this body on that solemn occasion; therefore,

Be it resolved, By the Senate of the State of Indiana, in Special Session assembled, that the appointment of said Memorial Committee by the Lieutenant Governor is hereby confirmed and approved; and the Memorial which was presented by it to the family of Senator Retherford, is hereby incorporated in this resolution, to be spread upon the minutes of this Special Session, as follows:

MEMORIAL.

Whereas, In the infinite wisdom of an All Wise Deity, no man may know his allotted time of physical life; and

Whereas, In that infinite wisdom, it has pleased the Almighty Ruler of the Universe to remove from among his fellow men a man whom all delighted to honor for his virtues and the character of his daily life; now, therefore.

Be it resolved, By the members of the Senate branch of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, meeting in condolence assembly during adjournment, that we hereby extend to the bereaved widow and children of our deceased member, Austin M. Retherford, Senator from Madison, our most heartfelt sympathy for a loss that each of us must sincerely join with them in mourning to the fullest degree of solicitude; and,

Be it further resolved, That by the passing of our honored brother from among our membership, the Indiana State Senate has lost a man of the type whose presence in legislative bodies guarantees to their constituencies that service which attends only the highest degree of integrity, joined with clean ideals and consistent effort for the general good.

By his passing on into the great unknown our General Assembly has lost a member who, throughout his entire service among us, retained the highest degree of esteem of his fellow members without exception; and our pleasant remembrance of personal contact with him in committee and on the floor is that of a member who never at any time permitted differences of opinion to swerve him from his fixed rule of gentle demeanor and courteous conduct toward all men at all times; and

Be it further resolved, That a copy of this Memorial be tendered the bereaved widow and family of our deceased brother member, signed by the Memorial Committee appointed by the Lieutenant Governor during adjournment; and that another copy be presented by this committee to the next session of our State Senate for insertion in the permanent records of its proceedings in legal meeting assembled.

Respectfully submitted,

HARRY E. NEGLEY.
EDWARD P. ELSNER.
MILES J. FURNAS.
WILLIAM A. ARNOLD.
JOHN G. DECKER.
JOHN S. ALLDREDGE.
WALTER MCCONAHA.
WILLIAM A. MCCULLOUGH.

EDGAR D. BUSH,

Lieutenant Governor.

And be it further resolved, That a copy of this resolution, properly engrossed, be forwarded by the Secretary of this Senate to the widow of our deceased member at her home in the city of Anderson, Indiana.

Respectfully submitted,

Negley, Senator.

On motion the resolution was unanimously adopted. Senator Elsner offered the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 6.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption, that the Secretary of the Senate is hereby ordered to have a copy of the resolution on the death of Senator Retherford engrossed and that a copy of said resolution be sent to the widow.

ELSNER, Senator.

On motion the resolution was adopted. Senator Elsner offered the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 7.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption, that the Secretary of the Senate be ordered to have the Chief Doorkeeper of the Senate drape the desk of the late Senator Retherford in mourning and that a fresh bouquet be placed and kept on his desk.

ELSNER, Senator.

On motion the resolution was adopted. Senator Elsner presented the following motion:

SENATE MOTION No. 1.

MR. PRESIDENT:

In order that this body may be advised as to the course to proceed in its deliberations, I move that the President appoint a committee of three to immediately wait on the Governor to ascertain when he expects to call special elections to fill the vacancies now existing in this body, and to report back to this body.

ELSNER, Senator.

A roll call was demanded on motion to lay the motion on the table. The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Dobyns, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hogston, James, Kiper, Kline, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Maier, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Ratts, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague and Wolfson. Total 32.

Those voting in the negative were:

Bracken, Cravens, Decker, Dorrell, Douglass, Elsner, Erskine, Hagerty, Hepler, Humphreys, Kolsem, Laney. Total 12.

So the motion was laid on the table.

Senator Negley moves that a committee of three be appointed to ascertain whether the House has been organized. The motion is carried and the Chair appointed the following Senators: Furnas, Erskine and Douglass.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

The committee from the House announces that the House has been duly organized for transaction of business.

Senator McKinley presented the following motion:

SENATE MOTION No. 2.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that this Senate now repair to the Chamber of the House, there to meet in joint assembly to receive the message of the Governor.

McKinley, Senator.

The motion is adopted and the senate adjourns to hear the Governor's message.

GOVERNOR GOODRICH'S MESSAGE TO SPECIAL ASSEMBLY SESSION.

Governor Goodrich's message, read at the opening of the Special Session of the Legislature this afternoon, was as follows:

"GENTLEMEN OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY:

You have been called together in extraordinary session for the purpose of considering certain matters of public interest that could not, without serious injury to the State, be postponed until the next regular meeting of the General Assembly.

The last Regular Session of the General Assembly convened shortly after the close of the World War. It was the general opinion of the mem-

bers of the General Assembly, an opinion held throughout the country, that the close of the war would bring about serious unemployment, rapidly falling prices and a decreased cost in the conduct of the various State institutions. It is not necessary for me to state that at that time I did not share the view held by the General Assembly, as I had expressed the opinion at the reconstruction conference held in November that instead of lack of employment there would be a serious labor shortage, and that prices would go up instead of down. Such has been the result. Prices have increased by leaps and bounds, especially the cost of living, with the result that the correctional, educational and charitable institutions of the State will not be able to finish the fiscal year without substantial emergency appropriations to meet the deficit that now faces them.

Since January 1, 1917, the price of necessities of life has increased 141 per cent. The price of coal, which is the largest single item used by the institutions, has increased more than 300 per cent, yet the cost of the maintenance of the State institutions for the fiscal year ending September 30, and including the appropriations to be made by this General Assembly to enable them to complete the year, will show an increase of but 38 per cent over the cost of maintenance of the fiscal year ending September 30, 1916. This has been made possible by the practice of the most rigid economy consistent with the proper care of the State's unfortunates.

MEASURES RECOMMENDED.

I recommend to the General Assembly the following measures:

Emergency appropriations to be made to the various State institutions according to their respective needs, and sufficient to enable them to complete the fiscal year ending September 30th next.

That the county unit road law be so amended as to replace in the law those sections that were left out by the enrolling clerk of the Senate and which left in grave doubt the responsibility for the care of the highways of the State.

That provision be made for paying to the county auditors and county treasurers of the State the per diem due them for service on the equalization boards of the counties during the year 1919 and 1920, and which was taken from them by the present tax law.

The rates for legal advertising have not been changed in Indiana for the last thirty years. The rates for commercial advertising during that time have more than trebled. A bill was passed by the General Assembly in the last hours of the last session, but was not received by the executive on account of certain defects in the bill. I recommend that a law be enacted granting to the newspapers of Indiana the same rates as proposed in the measure which failed to become a law.

Indiana has never been unmindful of the obligation that it owes to the soldiers and sailors in the wars for the defense of the republic.

The Memorial of the soldiers of the civil war stands as the finest example of a Memorial of that character erected by any state in the Union. It is a privilege for the State of Indiana to erect a Memorial to the soldiers of the world war. I am convinced that such Memorial should take the form of a Memorial building, rather than the erection of a monument;

I therefore recommend that legislation be enacted providing for a permanent, nonsalaried commission to undertake the supervision of the project for making a tax levy to provide funds with which to erect in the city of Indianapolis a Memorial building in memory of the soldiers and sailors and others who offered their lives in defense of the honor of the nation.

TAX LAW.

The tax law passed by the last General Assembly has proved to be a vast improvement over the preceding law. The task of administering the law at the regular quadrennial period of the reassessment of real estate was appalling. Mistakes in the administration of the law, of course, were inevitable. The principle of the law is right and only such changes should be made from time to time as experience suggests to be necessary. Under the prior law, there were certain legislative limitations on the tax rates. In the absence of any certain knowledge as to the extent of the duplicate, it was impossible to fix such limitation in the new law. In lieu of that, the tax board was given control over bond issues and tax levies. change from the old to the new law this power threw upon the tax board the enormous burden of examining into every tax levy and every bond issue authorized in the State. The tax board has since made a rule which in effect means that it will only exercise appellate jurisdiction in the case of tax levies and bond issues. This rule has greatly simplified the enforcement of the law.

I suggest that the following changes may well be made in the tax law at this special session, leaving to the next General Assembly the making of such other amendments as the operation of the law may develop to be necessary for the further strengthening of the tax law:

- 1. That the control over tax levies and bond issues be restored to the local taxing and bond issuing authorities subject to such appeal as may be necessary to protect the interest of the taxpayer.
- 2. That that section of the law exempting public securities be amended so as to make it clear that all bonds issued and payable out of revenue derived from taxation be exempt from taxation.
- 3. That the section of the law exempting real estate from the lien of taxes be amended so as to make it clear that the State still retains its lien for taxes upon the real estate of the State.

RIGHT OF BOARD.

The right of the State tax board to equalize assessed values by horizontal increases by counties has been exercised since 1891 and never called in question. Under the new law the State tax board claimed to have the power for the purpose of equalization to make horizontal increases by townships. Acting under that claim, it made horizontal increases in a large majority of the townships of the State, such increases to apply only to such property as was not assessed by the tax board and excepting from the horizontal increases certain classes of personal property. The right to take such action was questioned in court. The appellate court by a unanimous decision sustained the tax board. The supreme court recently reversed the appellate court and held that the tax board was not authorized by law

to make such increases by townships, but only by counties, and that it had no right to except from the increases money, intangibles or any other particular class of personal property.

A petition for a rehearing has been filed and will be earnestly pressed. No decision, however, can be reached before the October term of the court. In the meantime, a chaotic condition obtains in the fiscal affairs of the various taxing units of the State. This unfortunate situation can not be met by further litigations, but an adequate solution can only be furnished by the General Assembly. To permit all the horizontal increases to be set aside would result in gross and widespread injustices, would make necessary the examination of every tax return in the State affected by the horizontal increases, the making of new tax duplicates and the writing of new tax receipts throughout the State and a sufficient increase in the tax levies to meet whatever reduction would result from the change, with the inevitable result that all property not affected by the horizontal increases would be taxed much higher than other classes of property so affected.

LEGALIZING ACTION.

It is very apparent that many taxing units of the State would be unable to complete the financing of necessary extensions of their school facilities on account of the lower bonding power and the reduced revenue resulting from the decreased assessed values. It is conceded that the General Assembly could have given the tax board the power to do exactly what it did do. It is also clear that it can now legalize any act of the tax board that it could have authorized when the law was passed.

I am persuaded that the legalizing of the acts of the tax board called in question by the litigation, presents far less difficulty and will result in fewer injustices than any other course. I recommend, therefore, that the acts of the tax board in making the horizontal increases be legalized, that provision be made in such act so that any taxpayer whose property has been assessed at more than its true cash value by reason of such increases may have the assessments corrected and the property placed upon the duplicate at its true value. This will correct the existing situation in so far as the General Assembly has power to correct it and will make it possible for any person whose property by horizontal increases has been assessed beyond its true cash value to have the error corrected and the injustices cured.

The unusual financial situation that exists at this time makes it impossible for the various taxing units to sell bonds at the rate of interest fixed in the various laws authorizing such bond issues. This has resulted in delaying improvements already begun and making impossible other improvements vital to the best interests of the State.

I recommend that a law be enacted raising the rate of interest on all public securities to 6 per cent.

EMPLOYMENT BUREAU.

When the present employment bureau was completed, special emphasis was laid upon the fact that it was necessary to have a separate bureau

for the purpose of finding employment for soldiers and those who were released from employment by the termination of the war.

The employment commission is unanimously of the opinion that the commission should be abolished and I fully share in that opinion.

I, therefore, recommend that the present employment commission immediately be abolished, and the supervision of the employment bureau be placed under the jurisdiction of the industrial board. This action will save the State a considerable amount of money and not in any way interfere with the efficiency of the employment bureau.

The ratification of woman suffrage, which will undoubtedly be consummated in time for the women of the country to vote at the next general election, will double the electorate of the State and necessitate certain changes in our election laws.

I recommend, therefore, that such amendments be made to the law as are necessary by this amendment to the Federal Constitution. A non-partisan commission was appointed by the heads of the two leading parties to prepare certain bills and these will be submitted to you for your consideration.

COAL INDUSTRY.

The attention of the General Assembly is called to the critical condition of the coal industry and especially as it affects the State institutions. The purchasing committee advertised for bids in the latter part of June. The lowest bid they received at that time was \$6.50 a ton for coal. The present situation is due largely to the shortage of coal cars and the congestion of the transportation lines. The coal mines of the State are operating not to exceed 60 per cent of their capacity, which results in very high operating costs, shortage of coal, and permits the operators to dictate prices. If the State had sufficient cars to operate a mine 100 per cent of its capacity and could operate a mine exclusively for State's use through purchase, lease or otherwise, it would not only enable the State to purchase its coal at a very large saving over present prices, but would guarantee to the State a constant and ample supply of coal of uniform quality for the institutions of the State.

I recommend, therefore, that an appropriation be made of \$600,000 to be expended by the joint purchasing committee by and with the consent of the Governor for the purchase of coal cars and the purchase, lease or operation of a coal mine and that the committee be given the power of eminent domain so as to take over the mine by condemnation, if it should be found necessary to do so.

In connection with the recommendation for authority to purchase, lease or operate a coal mine and having in mind the possibility of working out the situation in some other way even should such authority be granted the executive, I recommend that the power possessed by the public service commission of Indiana to give preferential car service to live stock and perishables, be extended so as to include supplies furnished the various State institutions. Since the return of the railroads to private ownership and operation, the interstate commerce commission is about to restore to local authorities full control over the distribution and movement of cars. When

this has been accomplished, the power herein asked for the public service commission can be used so as to assist the State in furnishing institutions with their necessary supplies.

DEPOSITORY LAW.

The depository law of Indiana should be amended so that all funds of every kind which come into the hands of the county treasurer or clerk or any other public official by reason of his office, shall be deposited under the depository law. This law, if enacted, should only apply to those officials to be elected at the next general election.

This extraordinary session has been called to meet certain grave emergencies in the State's affairs that could not be postponed until the next regular session, which convenes in a few months. I hope that these important measures may receive the undivided attention of the General Assembly and that its deliberations may be concluded at the earliest possible moment."

The roll was called for the introduction of bills. Senator Alldredge introduced the following bill:

SENATE BILL No. 346.

A bill for an act for the relief of Grace Seybert and other parties therein named.

Read first time by title and referred to Committee on County and Township Business.

Senator Duffey introduced Senate Bill No. 347, entitled:

"Bill for an act concerning roads."

Read first time by title and referred to Committee on Roads.

Senator Elsner introduced Senate Bill No. 348, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled An act to amend sections 1, 2, 6 and 9 and repeal sections 4 and 11 of an act entitled An act for regulating the transfer and transportation of children to school.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Education.

Senator English introduced Senate Bill No. 349 entitled, A bill for an act to provide the relief from and for correction, assessment valuation for taxation in cases wherein the Board of Equalization or State Board of Tax Commissioners shall have increased any township or county assessments or valuations for purpose of equalization and declaring an emergency.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Judiciary "A."

Senator Negley introduced Senate Bill No. 350 entitled, $\bf A$ bill for an act defining the crime of pernicious hoarding.

Read first time and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.

Senator Beardsley moved that the Senate do now adjourn, which motion was seconded by Senator Southworth.

The Senate adjourned.

EDGAR D. BUSH,
President of the Senate.

W. M. LOUDEN,

Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

TUESDAY MORNING.

July 13, 1920.

The Senate convened at 10 o'clock a.m., with Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Senator Alldredge.

Roll call for a quorum.

The Senators answering to their names are as follows:

Alldredge, Bainum, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Maier, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nedjl, Ratts, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Tague and Wolfson.

After reading the Governor's Proclamation, on motion the further reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Chair appointed on the Committee on Judiciary A, Senator Decker instead of Senator Retherford, deceased.

On the Committee on Railroads, Senator Arnold in place of Senator Retherford, deceased.

On the Committee on Education, Senator Laney instead of Senator Retherford, deceased.

On the Committee on Criminal Code, Senator Hagerty instead of Senator Retherford, deceased.

On the Committee on Phraseology of Bills, Senator Beardsley instead of Senator Hudgins.

On the Committee on Cities and Towns, Senator English instead of Senator Hudgins.

On the Committee on Military Affairs, Senator Elsner instead of Senator Van Auken, resigned.

On the Committee on Elections, Senator Bracken instead of Senator Van Auken, resigned.

On the Committee on Manufacturers, Senator Douglass instead of Senator Retherford, deceased.

On the Committee on County and Township Business, Senator Metzger instead of Senator Hudgins.

On the Committee on Constitutional Revision, Senator Hepler instead of Senator Van Auken, resigned.

Senator Bainum introduced Senate Bill No. 351, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to amend section 63 of an act fixing the compensation and prescribing the duties of certain State and county officers, etc." (1917.)

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Judiciary B.

Senator Brown introduced Senate Bill No. 352 entitled:

"A bill for an act providing that salaries, etc., of public officials shall not be diminished by occasion of increase or decrease in population."

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to the Committee on Cities and Towns.

Senator Brown introduced Senate Bill No. 353 entitled:

A bill for an act to legalize contracts entered into by schools, cities and towns.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

Senator Dobyns introduced Senate Bill No. 354 entitled:

"A bill for an act to amend sections 1, 3, 5, 17, 22, 23, 35½, 39, 40 and 44 of an act to provide for the establishment, opening, widening, repairing, construction and maintenance of highways,"

Which bill was read a first time and referred to Committee on Roads.

Senator McKinley introduced Senate Bill No. 355 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled 'An act concerning elections, providing penalties for violation of same, etc."

Which bill was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Elections.

Senator McKinley introduced Senate Bill No. 356 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 7 of an act entitled "An act to provide a method of voting at general, special, municipal and primary elections, etc."

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Electitons.

Senator Maier introduced Senate Bill No. 357 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend sections 22 and 24 of an act entitled "An act providing for use of voting machines for elections in this state, etc."

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Elections.

Senator Maier introduced Senate Bill No. 358 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 8 of an act entitled "An act providing for printing of ballots, form thereof, manner of countersigning ballots, etc."

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Elections.

Senator Masters introduced Senate Bill No. 359 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 8 of an act concerning public parks, cities of the first class, approved March 14, 1919.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Affairs of the City of Indianapolis.

Senator Masters introduced Senate Bill No. 360 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 52 of an act entitled "An act concerning elections and the contest thereof."

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Elections.

Senator Munton introduced Senate Bill No. 361 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend an act concerning drainage.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Swamp Lands and Drains.

Senator Munton introduced Senate Bill No. 362 entitled:

A bill for an act to preserve the fresh water lakes of the State at their established level.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Swamp Lands and Drains.

Senator Smith introduced Senate Bill No. 363 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 32 of an act creating a State Highway Commission.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Roads.

Senator Southworth introduced Senate Bill No. 364 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend sections 1 and 11 of an act entitled "An act to amend sections, 2, 15, etc., of an act entitled 'An act concerning elections, providing penalties for violation of same, etc.'"

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Elections.

Senator Southworth introduced Senate Bill No. 365 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 3 of an act providing for registration of voters, etc.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Elections.

Senator Strode introduced Senate Bill No. 366, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act concerning elections, providing penalties for violation of same, etc."

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Elections.

Senator Strode introduced Senate Bill No. 367 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend the title and sections 2, 3, 6, 8, 11, 12, 19, 36, 39, 43, 46, 49 and to repeal section 34 of an act entitled "An act to protect cities of the fifth class, etc."

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Judiciary "B."

Senator Tague introduced Senate Bill No. 368 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend an "Act concerning public funds, their deposit and safe keeping, etc.," approved March 6th, 1911.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Judiciary "B."

Senator Kline introduced Senate Bill No. 369 entitled:

A bill for an act concerning the salaries of city officials.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Fees and Salaries.

Senator English asked that Senate Bill No. 349 be printed, which was granted. \cdot

Senator Negley moved that when the Senate do adjourn it adjourn until 2 o'clock p. m., which motion prevailed.

Senator Alldredge asked that Senate Bill No. 346 be printed, which was granted.

Senators Cravens and Elsner offered the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the Auditor be requested to at once furnish to this body the following information:

1st. The names of each State institution, the amounts paid to each, and the purposes for which paid, where during the fiscal year ending September 30, 1918, money was paid out of the State treasury to or for such institution, in excess of the appropriation made therefor.

2nd. The names of each State institution, the amounts paid to each, and the purposes for which paid, where during the fiscal year ending September 30, 1919, money was paid out of the State treasury to or for such institution, in excess of the appropriation made therefor.

3d. The names of each State institution, the amounts paid to each, and the purposes for which paid, where during the fiscal year ending September 30, 1920, money was paid out of the State treasury to or for such institution, in excess of the appropriations made therefor.

4th. The amounts that will be necessary to appropriate for the different institutions of the State for the remainder of the fiscal year ending September 30, 1920.

CRAVENS AND ELSNER.

Which motion prevailed.

Senator Brown asked that Senate Bills Nos. 352 and 353 be printed, which request was granted.

Senator Wolfson moved that the Senate adjourn until 2 o'clock p. m. Which motion prevailed.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON.

The Senate convened at 2 p. m. with Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

The roll was called.

The Chair declared a quorum present.

Senator English asked unanimous permission to introduce a bill.

Permission was granted.

Senator English introduced Senate Bill No. 370 entitled:

A bill for an act entitled "An act concerning taxation."

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Judiciary "A."

Senator English asked that the bill be printed.

Request granted.

Senators McKinley and Elsner offered the following resolution:

SENATE RESOLUTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

That whereas the William H. Block Company has draped the desk of the late Senator Retherford in mourning without any expense to the Senate, it is hereby resolved that this Senate extend a vote of thanks to the William H. Block Company and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to them by the Secretary of the Senate.

McKinley, Elsner.

Senators.

Which resolution was unanimously adopted and a copy ordered sent to the William H. Block Company with the thanks of the Senate.

Senator Hogston introduced Senate Bill No. 371 entitled:

A bill for an act to regulate the hours of duty of members of the fire department of the fire force in every city and town in the State of Indiana, providing for the payment of said members, and fixing the time when same shall take effect.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

Senator Hogston introduced Senate Bill No. 372 entitled:

A bill for an act concerning contracts with teachers in the public school.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Education.

Senator Nejdl introduced Senate Bill No. 373 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 12 of an act entitled "An act authorizing several counties and cities to provide suitable memorial, etc."

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Judiciary "A."

Senator Self introduced Senate Bill No. 374 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to authorize the county commissioners in any county, where the county owns any real estate upon which is situated any court houses, public office building, or any other building used for public purposes, which the State of Indiana may desire to buy under the authority of any law enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, etc."

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on County and Township Business.

Senator Negley introduced Senate Bill No. 375 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act concerning compensation for care of dependent children,"

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Public Morals.

Senator Masters introduced Senate Bill No. 376 entitled:

A bill for an act concerning common school corporations in cities of over 100,000 inhabitants.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Affairs of City of Indianapolis.

Senator Masters introduced Senate Bill No. 377 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act concerning common school corporations, etc."

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on City of Indianapolis.

Senator Hogston introduced Senate Bill No. 378 entitled:

A bill for an act concerning public utilities to repeal an act entitled "An act concerning public utilities, creating a public service commission, abolishing the railroad commission of Indiana, and conferring the powers of the railroad commission on the public service commission, etc."

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Judiciary "A."

Senator Elsner introduced Senate Bill No. 379 entitled:

A bill for an act making female voters of Indiana eligible to public and election offices and employments and for jury service.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Elections.

Senator English asked unanimous consent to have Senate Bill No. 370 printed.

Unanimous consent was given.

Reports of committees being called for, the Committee on Education offered the following reports:

The Majority Report:

MR. PRESIDENT:

The majority of your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 348, has had the same under consideration and begs to report the same back to the Senate with recommendations that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

OLIVER KLINE.
CHARLES SIGNS.
DUNCAN.
MAIEB.
BROWN.
HUMPHREYS.

The Minority Report:

MR. PRESIDENT:

A minority of your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No: 348, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

GEORGE L. LANEY.

Senator Elsner spoke in favor of Senate Bill No. 348, favoring the minority report of the Committee on Education.

Senator Douglass spoke in favor of Senate Bill No. 348.

The question being, "Shall the minority be substituted for the majority report?"

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Senators Beardsley, Bracken, Cravens, Decker, Dorrell, Douglass, Duffey, Elsner, Erskine, Furnas, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, James, Kolsem, Laney, McCray, Metzger, Southworth and Strode. Total 21.

Those voting in the negative were:

Senators Alldredge, Bainum, Brown, Dobyns, Duncan, English, Grant, Humphreys, Kiper, Kline, McConaha, McCullough, McKinley, Maier, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Signs, Smith, Tague, Wolfson. Total 24.

The question was decided in the negative.

The majority report became the report of the committee.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed House Bill No. 537 and the same is herewith transmitted to the Senate for further action.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

The Chair handed down House Bill No. 537 entitled:

A bill for an act to appropriate \$20,000 to defray the expense of the second special session of the Seventy-first General Assembly of Indiana.

Senator Negley offered the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended, and that Engrossed House Bill No. 537 be read the first and second time and then read a third time by sections, and placed upon its passage.

NEGLEY, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Senators Alldredge, Bainum, Beardsley, Bracken, Brown, Dobyns, Douglass, Duncan, English, Erskine, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Kolsem, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Maier, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 40.

Those voting in the negative were:

Senators Cravens and Elsner. Total 2.

The bill was read a first time by title, considered read a second time, read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the Engrossed House Bill No. 537 pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duncan, English, Erskine, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Kolsem, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Maier, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Ratts, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague and Wolfson. Total 44.

Those voting in the negative were:

Elsner. Total 1.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act? It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed House Bill No. 537 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

Senator Arnold introduced Senate Bill No. 380 entitled:

A bill for an act concerning defenses in action based upon unjust rents, etc.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Judiciary "A."

Senator Arnold introduced Senate Bill No. 381 entitled:

A bill for an act authorizing board of commissioners of any county to enter into agreements with the American Red Cross, etc.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Education.

Senator Laney introduced Senate Bill No. 382 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section five (5) of an act entitled "An act providing for the election and prescribing certain duties of county surveyors, etc."

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on County and Township Business.

The Senate now took a recess of thirty minutes.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 44.

Senator Duffey offered the following joint resolution:

A joint resolution relative to certain state lands in Starke and LaPorte Counties.

Section 1. That the Attorney-General is hereby directed to take whatever steps and institute whatever action in law or equity as may be necessary to protect, secure and preserve the interests of the State by creating a receivership for the purpose of harvesting crops or executing leases on all meandered state lands situated in Starke and LaPorte Counties.

DUFFEY.

Which resolution was adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Affairs of City of Indianapolis, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 359, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate that said bill do pass.

McCray,

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Affairs of City of Indianapolis, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 376, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate that said bill do pass.

MCCBAY,

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Affairs of City of Indianapolis, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 377, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate that said bill do pass.

McCray,

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 372, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

KLINE, Chairman.

MAIER.

SIGNS.

Brown.

DUNCAN.

LANEY.

HUMPHREYS.

Which report was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Judiciary "B," to which was referred Senate Bill No. 368, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

RATTS, Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

Mr. President:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 374, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate that the bill do pass.

SOUTHWORTH,

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 346, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate that said bill do pass.

Southworth,

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

Mr. President:

Your Commettee on Mileage and Accounts submitted the following report and recommends its adoption.

NEJDL. SMITH. DORRELL.

Which report was as follows:

	Miles.	Amount
Alldredge, John S	76	\$15.20
Arnold, William A	300	60.00
Bainum, Charles A	234	46.80
Beardsley, Andrew H	280	56.00
Bowers, William E	296	59.20
Bracken, Robert	94	18.00
Brown, Will	301	60.20
Cravens, Joseph M	174	34.80
Decker, John F	198	39.60
Dobyns, Lem P	96	· 19.20
Dorrell, Thomas	28	5.60
Douglass, Maurice	88	17.60
Duffey, Luke W	• • •	• • • •
Duncan, Estes	100	20.00

Elsner, Edward P	126	25.20
English, William E	• • •	
Erskine, Charles A	340	68.00
Furnas, Miles J	1 44 °	28.80
Grant, Thomas	284	56.80
Hagerty, Charles A	280	5 6.00
Hepler, George Y	298	59.60
Hogston, Alfred	140	28.00
Humphreys, James H	170	34.00
James, Edward B	150	30.00
Kiper, Roscoe	398	79.60
Kline, Oliver	212	42.40
Kolsem, Jacob C	146	29.20
Laney, George L	130	26.00
McConaha, Walter	136	27.20
McCray, Franklin	• • •	
McCullough, William A	406	81.20
McKinley, Arthur D	110	22.00
Maier, Paul	372	74.40
Masters, J. Fred		••••
Meeker, Curtis D.	170	34.00
Metzger, Edgar F.	156	31.20
Munton, Clarence J.	320	64.00
Negley, Harry E	•••	
Nejdl, James J	340	68.00
Ratts, Oscar	204	40.80
Self, Frank H.	280	56.00
•	200	40.00
Signs, Charles O		50.00
Smith, Oscar B	250	
Southworth, Ray M	136	27.20
Strode, Don P	122	24.40
Tague, Cecil C	166	32.20
Wolfson, Aaron	• • •	

Which report was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your Committee, Judiciary "B," to which was referred Senate Bill No. 367, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows, reference being had to the original bill:

- 1. By adding to the title thereof the following: "the same being chapter 81 of the Acts of the 69th General Assembly of the State of Indiana."
- 2. By inserting a semi-colon and the words "and attorneys" after the word "engineer" in section 6, line 8.
- 3. By striking out the word "his" in line 8 of section 6, and inserting the word "their" in lieu thereof.
 - 4. By striking out all of section 6, after the word "improvement" in line

9 of said section, and by inserting a period in place of the comma after said word "improvement."

And when so amended, that said bill do pass.

RATTS, Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 353, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate that said bill do pass.

> METZGER, Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 352, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate that said bill do pass.

> METZGER, Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

Motion made by Senator Wolfson that Senate do now adjourn. Motion prevailed.

EDGAR D. BUSH,
President of the Senate.

WILLIAM LOUDEN,

Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

WEDNESDAY MORNING.

July 14, 1920.

The Senate convened at 10 a.m. with Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Rev. W. B. Farmer of the Broadway Church of Indianapolis.

Roll call for quorum.

Quorum present.

The Senators answering to their names were:

Alldredge, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Duncan, English, Erskine, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McKinley,

Maier, Meeker, Metzger, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 35.

On motion the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

Senator Dobyns, chairman of the Committee on Elections, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 357, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

DOBYNS,

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in by the Senate.

Senator Dobyns, chairman of the committee, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 356, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

DOBYNS.

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator McKinley, chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "A," to which was referred Senate Bill No. 373, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

McKINLEY,

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Alldredge, chairman of Committee on Public Morals, submitted the following report:

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Public Morals, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 375, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with recommendation that said bill do pass.

ALLDREDGE,

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

Senators Erskine and Cravens offered the following resolution:

Mr. President:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

In view of the fact that we have in our membership a benedict who has seen fit in his wisdom, at this late date, to adopt Roosevelt's policy of good citizenship, therefore be it resolved, that the chief clerk of the Senate be directed to properly decorate the desk of Senator Bracken with the congratulations of the Senate.

EBSKINE, Senator.

Which resolution was adopted by the Senate.

Senator Cravens introduced Senate Bill No. 383 entitled:

A bill for an act concerning construction or improvement of free gravel, stone or macadamized roads.

Which bill was read a first time and referred to Committee on Roads.

Senator English introduced Senate Bill No. 384, entitled:

A bill for an act concerning taxation.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Indiciary "A."

Senator Furnas introduced Senate Bill No. 385 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend sections 1, 5, 6, 8 and 9 of an act entitled "An act for relief of contractors, etc."

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on County and Township Business.

Senator Hepler introduced Senate Bill No. 386 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to amend section 97 of an act entitled 'An act fixing compensation and prescribing duties of certain officers, etc.'"

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred tto Committee on County and Township Business.

Senator Hogston introduced Senate Bill No. 387 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 3 of an act entitled "An act concerning co-operation, etc."

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Corporations.

Senator Laney introduced Senate Bill No. 388 entitled:

A bill for an act to provide for the erection of a marker or memorial at the site of General William Henry Harrison's encampment, etc.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on County and Township Business.

Senator Laney introduced Senate Bill No. 389 entitled:

A bill for an act appropriating \$943.75 to reimburse George Jessup for certain swine belonging to said Jessup, which died, etc.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on County and Township Business.

Senator Negley introduced Senate Bill No. 390 entitled:

A bill for an act abolishing employment commission of Indiana, etc.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary "A."

Senator English requested that Senate Bill No. 304 be printed.

Request granted.

Senator Negley moved that the Senate adjourn until 2 o'clock p. m.. which motion prevailed.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

July 14, 1920.

Senate convened at 2 p. m. with Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Roll call for a quorum.

Quorum present.

Senator Beardsley introduced Senate Bill No. 391 entitlea:

A bill for an act to fix rate of interest on bonds issued by school corporations, etc.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to the Committee on Education.

Senator Humphreys introduced Senate Bill No. 392 entitled:

A bill for an act providing for the construction and maintenance of a bridge or bridges across and over a stream or streams which form the boundary line between the State of Indiana and any adjoining state, and authorizing co-operating of any county or municipality of this State with any contiguous county or other subordinate subdivision of any adjoining state in building and maintaining such bridge or bridges.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on County and Township Business.

Senator Self introduced Senate Bill No. 393 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act to amend sections 2, 3, 4 and 6 of an act entitled 'An act providing for levy of annual tax for State common school tuition fund, etc."

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Education.

Senator McKinley introduced Senate Bill No. 394 entitled:

A bill for an act making an appropriation to Rhoda J. Chase.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Judiciary "A."

Senator Masters called up Senate Bill No. 376 for second reading entitled:

A bill for an act concerning common school corporations in cities of over 100,000 inhabitants.

Which bill was read a second time by title and ordered engrossed.

Senator Duncan introduced Senate Bill No. 395 entitled:

A bill for an act to legalize certain acts of notaries public and declaring an emergency.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to the Committee on Judiciary "A," and ordered printed.

Senator Hogston introduced Senate Bill No. 396 entitled:

A bill for an act providing for substitution of road surfacing material in certain cases.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to the Committee on Roads.

Senator McKinley offered the following resolution: Mr. President:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption: That the introduction of bills in this special session be limited to the session of Thursday, July 15, 1920, and that no bills be received thereafter.

McKinley, Senator.

Which resolution was referred to the Committee on Rules.

Senator Douglass introduced Senate Bill No. 397 entitled:

A bill for an act concerning interurban railroads.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Railroads.

Senator English introduced Senate Bill No. 398 entitled:

A bill for an act entitled an act concerning taxation and temporary loans of cities of the first class, etc.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to the Committee on City of Indianapolis and ordered printed.

Senator Hogston introduced Senate Bill No. 399, entitled:

A bill for an act to repeal the primary election law.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Elections.

Senator Douglass introduced Senate Bill No. 400 entitled:

A bill for an act concerning orphans and dependent children, etc.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Benevolent Institutions.

Senator Ratts, chairman of Committee on Judiciary "B," submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Judiciary "B," to which was referred Senate Bill No. 351, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

RATTS,

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Duncan, chairman of Committee on Education, submitted the following report:

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 391, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that the said bill do pass.

Duncan,

Chairman.

Senator Southworth, chairman of Committee on County and Township Business, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 386, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that the said bill be indefinitely postponed.

Southworth,

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Southworth, chairman of Committee on County and Township Business, submitted the following report:

Mr. President:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 385, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that the said bill be indefinitely postponed.

Southworth,

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Southworth, chairman of Committee on County and Township Business, submitted the following report:

Mr. President:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 388, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that the said bill be indefinitely postponed.

SOUTHWORTH.

Chairman.

Senator Southworth, chairman of Committee on County and Township Business, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 392, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

SOUTHWORTH,

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Southworth, chairman of the Committee on County and Township Business, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 389, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that the said bill be indefinitely postponed.

SOUTHWORTH,

Chairman.

Senator McCray called up Senate Bill No. 377 for second reading entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 4 of an act concerning common school corporations, etc.

Senator McCray made the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that Senate Bill No. 377 be recommitted to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend by changing the figure 7 in lines 17 and 36 to $6\frac{1}{2}$.

McCray, Senator.

Which motion was concurred in.

Senator Masters made the following motion:

Mr. President:

I move that Senate Bill No. 377 be recommitted to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend by adding to the title thereof the following words: "And declaring an emergency."

MASTERS, Senator.

Which motion was concurred in.

Which bill was read a second time by title, amended and ordered engrossed.

Senator Masters called up Senate Bill No. 359 for second reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 8 of an act concerning public parks, cities of the first class, approved March 14, 1919.

Which bill was read a second time by title and ordered engrossed.

Senator Self called up Senate Bill No. 374 for second reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to authorize county commissioners in any county, where the county owns any real estate upon which is situated any court house, etc."

Which bill was read a second time by title and ordered engrossed.

Senator Alldredge called up Senate Bill No. 346 for second reading, entitled:

A bill for an act for the relief of Grace Seybert, Elizabeth Schluchers, etc.

Which bill was read a second time by title and ordered engrossed.

Senator Alldredge offered the following motion:

Mr. President:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills to be read on three separate days be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 346 be considered engrossed, read third time by sections, and placed upon its passage.

ALLDREDGE. Senator.

Roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Senators Alldredge, Bainum, Beardsley, Brown, Dobyns, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hogston, James, Kiper, Kline, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Maier, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Wolfson. Total 27.

Those voting in the negative were:

Senators Arnold, Bracken, Cravens, Decker, Dorrell, Duffey, Elsner, Erskine, Hepler, Humphreys, Kolsem, Laney and McCullough. Total 13. So the motion did not prevail.

Senator Brown called up Senate Bill No. 352 for second reading, entitled:

A bill for an act providing that salaries, etc., of public officials shall not be diminished, etc.

Which bill was read a second time by title and ordered engrossed.

Senator English asked that Senate Bill No. 398 be printed. Request granted.

Senator Duncan asked that Senate Bill No. 395 be printed.

Request granted.

Senator Brown called up Senate Bill No. 353 for second reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to legalize contracts entered into by school cities and towns for temporary school buildings.

Which bill was read a second time by title and ordered engrossed.

Senator Masters offered the following committee report:

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 377, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with amendments made as ordered.

MASTERS, Senator.

Senator Nejdl offered the following motion:

Mr. President:

I move to reconsider the action of Senate on the following bills, to-wit: Nos. 377, 359, 374, 346, 352, 353.

NEJDL, Senator.

Which motion did not prevail.

Roll call on said motion as follows, to-wit:

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Bainum, Bowers, Dobyns, Duncan, English, McCray, McKinley, Maier, Masters, Smith and Strode. Total 11.

Those voting in the negative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bracken Brown, Cravens, Dorrell, Douglass, Duffey, Erskine, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Kolsem, Laney, McConaha, McCullough, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Signs, Southworth and Wolfson. Total 27.

Senator Furnas introduced Senate Bill No. 401 entitled:

A bill for an act to legalize the incorporation of Central Academy Association of the Town of Plainfield, in the County of Hendricks, State of Indiana, and to legalize the reorganization of said Central Academy Association and to legalize the changing of the name of said Central Academy Association to Central Academy, etc.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Judiciary "B."

Senator Bainum introduced Senate Bill No. 402 entitled:

A bill for an act fixing the per diem and mileage of county surveyors, civil engineers, deputy surveyors, etc.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Fees and Salaries.

Lieutenant-Governor Bush announced that he had signed House Bill No. 537.

Senator Strode called up Senate Bill No. 367 for second reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend the title and sections 2, 3, 6, 8, 11, 12, 19, 36, 39, 43, 46, 49 and to repeal section 34 of an act entitled "An act to protect cities of the fifth class, etc."

Which bill was read a second time by title and ordered engrossed.

The Senate received the following message from the House:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed House Bill No. 548 and the same is herewith transmitted to the Senate for further action.

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JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of House.

The Senate received the following message from the House: MB. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed House Bill No. 512 and the same is herewith transmitted to the Senate for further action.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

HOUSE BILL No. 548.

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 548 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act touching common carriers over railroads."

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Judiciary "A."

The Chair handed down House Bill No. 512 entitled:

A bill for an act to create a new section, to be designated and numbered section 24½ of an act entitled "An act providing for the registration of voters," approved March 14, 1919.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Elections.

Senator McKinley moved that the Senate adjourn until 9 o'clock Thursday morning, July 15, 1920.

Which motion prevailed.

EDGAR D. BUSH, President of the Senate.

WILLIAM M. LOUDEN,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

THURSDAY MORNING.

July 15, 1920.

The Senate convened at 9 o'clock a. m. with Lieutenant-Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Major Hitz, of the Volunteers of America.

Roll call ordered for a quorum.

A quorum present.

SENATE BILL No. 403.

Senator Self introduced Senate Bill No. 403 entitled:

A bill for an act authorizing school townships and corresponding civil townships when the assessed valuation of the property, etc.

Read the first time by title and referred to Committee on Education.

SENATE BILL No. 351.

Senator Bainum called up Senate Bill No. 351 for second reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "A bill for an act to amend section 63 of an act fixing the compensation and prescribing the duties of certain state and county officers, etc." (1917.)

Which bill was read a second time by title and ordered engrossed.

Senator Negley offered the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills to be read on three separate days be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 373 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, read a third time by sections, and placed upon its passage.

NEGLEY, Senator.

The roll was called. Motion prevailed. Rules suspended.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Senators Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Erskine, Furnas, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Wolfson, Total 39.

None voting in the negative.

SENATE BILL No. 373.

Senator Nejdl called up Engrossed Senate Bill No. 373 for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act authorizing several counties and cities to provide suitable memorial, etc."

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Senators Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Erskine, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Wolfson. Total 39.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 373 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

Senator Wolfson, chairman of Committee on Railroads, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Railroads, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 397, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Wolfson,

Which report was concurred in.

Chairman.

Senator McKinley, chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "A," submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Judiciary "A," to which was referred Senate Bill No. 394, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

MoKinley

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator McKinley, chairman of Committee on Judiciary "A," submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Judiciary "A," to which was referred Senate Bill No. 378, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate without recommendation.

MCKINLEY.
STRODE.
DECKEB.
HOGSTON.
ENGLISH.
JAMES.
MASTERS.
NEGLEY.
MCCULLOUGH.
CRAVENS.
BEARDSLEY.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Duncan, chairman of Committee on Education, submitted the following report:

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 393, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

DUNCAN.
WILL BROWN.
SIGNS.
LANEY.
HUMPHREYS.

Which report was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 350, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

1st. By inserting a comma (,) after the word "fruits" in line 14 of section 1 of the original bill as introduced.

'2nd. By inserting after the comma (,), so inserted as above, the words and marks "Vine fruits."

3d. By striking out of line 14 of section 1 of the bill as originally introduced, the words and figures "fifty (50)," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "twenty-five (25)."

4th. By inserting a comma (,) after the word "fruits" in line 2 of section 2 of the bill as originally introduced.

5th. By inserting after the comma (,), inserted in last above, the words and marks "vine fruits."

6th. By striking out of line 3 of section 2 of the bill as originally introduced, the words and figures "fifty (50)," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "twenty-five (25)."

7th. By inserting a comma (,) after the word "fruits" in line 2 of section 3 of the bill as originally introduced.

8th. By inserting, after the comma (,), inserted as last above, the words and marks "vine fruits,"

9th. By striking out of line 3 of section 3 of the bill as originally introduced, the words and figures "fifty (50)," and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "twenty-five (25)."

10th. By inserting, immediately following section 4 of the bill as originally introduced, an additional section, to be numbered "4," as follows:

"Section 4. Any person who, being the owner of or in actual control of any foodstuff produced from the soil, or from growing vines, plants, bushes or trees, within the State of Indiana, shall hereafter permit, or cause to be permitted, such foodstuff to remain upon the premises where the same was produced until the same shall have become damaged by decay in its entirety as a crop, in a lot or lots of twenty-five (25) bushels or more, if the same be grain, tree fruits, vine fruits, or vegetables, or in a lot or lots of twenty-five (25) gallons or more, if the same be berries, and without having made reasonable effort to offer the same for sale to the general public at some reasonably adjacent market for the general sale and exchange of produce and foodstuffs, or at the county seat of the county in which the same has been produced, or without offering the same for sale at a fair or reasonable price on the premises where the same has been produced by a plain and readable notice posted upon an adjacent highway, shall be guilty of the crime of 'pernicious hoarding,' and shall, upon conviction thereof in any circuit or criminal court of Indiana, be fined in any sum not less than one hundred dollars (\$100.00) nor more than five hundred dollars (\$500.00); and to which may be added imprisonthe county jail or State Farm for any period less than thirty (30) days nor more than one hundred and eighty (180) days. And the venue for the prosecution of such crime shall be in the county wherein such foodstuffs have been produced."

11th. By re-numbering the last section in said bill as originally introduced as "Section 5."

And when so amended, we recommend that said bill do pass.

HOGSTON,

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Smith, chairman of Committee on Swamp Lands and Drains, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Swamp Lands and Drains, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 361, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be amended by adding a new section to be known as section 3 as follows:

"Section 3. Nothing in this act shall in any manner affect pending litigation."

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

SMITH, Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Brown asked that Senate Bill No. 352 be made a special order for 2:30 p. m.

Senator Brown called up Engrossed Senate Bill No. 353 for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to legalize contracts entered into by school cities and towns for temporary school buildings.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, English, Grant, Hepler, Humphreys, Kiper, Kline, McCray, McCullough, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Wolfson. Total 30.

Those voting in the negative were:

Cravens, Duffey, Elsner, Erskine, James, McConaha, McKinley. Total 7. So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act? It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 353 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

Senator McKinley, chairman of the Committee on Judiciary "A," submitted the following report:

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Judiciary "A," to which was referred House Bill No. 548, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

McKinley,

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator McCray, chairman of Committee on Affairs of the City of Indianapolis, submitted the following report:

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Affairs of the City of Indianapolis, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 398, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

MoCray,

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Strode called up Engrossed Senate Bill No. 367 for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend the title and sections 2, 3, 6, 8, 11, 12, 19, 36, 39, 43, 46, 49 and to repeal section 34 of an act entitled "An act to protect cities of the fifth class, etc."

Senator Strode moved that Engrossed Senate Bill No. 367 be recommitted to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend by substituting a comma in place of the semi-colon following the word "engineer" in section 6, line 14, reference being had to the printed bill.

STRODE, Senator.

Which motion was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 367, begs leave to report the same being amended as directed.

STRODE, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Duffey, Elsner, English, Erskine, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 40.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed as amended.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 367 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

SENATE MOTION.

Senator Masters offered the following motion:

Mr. President:

I move that printed Senate Bill No. 377 be recommitted to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend the same by changing the word "buyers" in line 35 to "bidders."

MASTERS, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Senator Masters, committee of one, submitted the following report:

MB. PRESIDENT:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 377, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with amendments as directed.

Masters, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Masters called up Engrossed Senate Bill No. 377 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 4 of an act entitled "An act concerning common school corporations, etc."

Which bill was read a third time and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Duffey, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Signs, Southworth, Strode, Tague and Wolfson. Total 36.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 377 and transmit the same to that body for further action.

Senator Masters called up Engrossed Senate Bill No. 359 for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 8 of an act concerning public parks in cities of first class, etc., approved March 14, 1919.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Bowers, Bracken, Cravens, Decker, Dorrell, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Erskine, Furnas, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 37.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Senate Engrossed Bill No. 359 and transmit the same to the House for further action.

Senator Humphreys made the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 392 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, third time by sections, and placed upon its passage.

HUMPHREYS, Senator.

Which motion carried.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dorrell, Douglass, Duffey, Elsner, English, Erskine, Furnas, Grant, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Signs. Smith, Southworth, Tague and Wolfson. Total 36.

None voting in the negative.

So the motion prevailed.

Senator Humphreys called up Senate Bill No. 392 for third reading. entitled:

A bill for an act providing for the construction and maintenance of a bridge or bridges across and over a stream or streams which form the boundary line between the State of Indiana and any adjoining state, and authorizing co-operating of any county or municipality of this State with any contigous county or other subordinate subdivision of any adjoining state in building and maintaining such bridge or bridges.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown,

Cravens, Decker, Dorrell, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, English, Erskine, Furnas, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 35.

Those voting in the negative: McKinley.

So the bill passed under suspension of rules.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Senate Bill No. 392 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

Senator Wolfson moved that the Senate adjourn until 2 o'clock p. m. Which motion prevailed.

EDGAR D. BUSH, President of the Senate.

WILLIAM M. LOUDEN,

Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

July 15, 1920.

The Senate convened at 2 o'clock p. m. with Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Roll call for a quorum. Quorum present.

SENATE BILL No. 404.

Senator Duncan introduced Senate Bill No. 404 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 489 of an act entitled "An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905, and declaring an emergency.

Read first time by title and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.

SENATE BILL No. 405.

Senator Dobyns introduced Senate Bill No. 405 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend sections 9 and 12 of an act entitled "An act providing for registration of voters, etc."

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Elections.

SENATE BILL No. 406.

Senator Dobyns introduced Senate Bill No. 406 entitled:

A bill for an act concerning elections and declaring an emergency.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Elections.

SENATE BILL No. 407.

Senator Hepler introduced Senate Bill No. 407 entitled:

A bill for an act entitled "An act for public welfare."

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Criminal Code.

SENATE BILL No. 408.

Senator Duffey introduced Senate Bill No. 408 entitled:

A bill for an act to allow the Highway Commission to increase partial payments to contractors ten cents.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Roads.

Senator Self called up Engrossed Senate Bill No. 374 for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 6 of an act entitled "An act to authorize the county commissioners in any county, where the county owns any real estate and upon which is situate any court house, etc."

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Erskine, Furnas, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague and Wolfson. Total 39.

Senator Kline voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 374 and to transmit the same back to that body for further consideration.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Senator Metzger, chairman of Committee on Cities and Towns, submitted the following report:

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 371, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

METZGER,

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Dobyns, chairman of Committee on Elections, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 405, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Dobyns,

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Dobyns, chairman of Committee on Elections, submitted the following report:

Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 406, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

DOBYNS,

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Grant offered the following resolution:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption: That the Secretary of the Senate, with the approval of the Committee on Employing Assistants and Incurring Indebtedness, is hereby authorized to rent type-writing machines and tables, purchase postage and other necessities needed, and pay incidental expenses incurred by and for the members of the Senate, and the President of the Senate shall draw his warrant therefor for the same.

THOS. GRANT, Senator.

Which resolution was adopted.

Senator McKinley called up Engrossed Senate Bill No. 394 entitled:

A bill for an act making an appropriation to Rhoda J. Chase.

' Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Nejdl, Ratts, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague and Wolfson. Total 35.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 394 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

Senator Elsner introduced Senate Bill No. 409 entitled:

A bill for an act concerning registration of voters and providing a method of purging such registrations.

Which bill was read the first time by title and referred to the Committee on Elections.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed House Bill No. 536 and the same is herewith transmitted to the Senate for further action.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL No. 536.

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 536 entitled:

A bill for an act making appropriations to provide additional maintenance for the state government, etc.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to the Committee of the Whole.

The Committee of the Whole having completed their deliberations did now arise and Lieutenant-Governor Edgar D. Bush resumed the chair.

Senator Negley, chairman of the Committee of the Whole, submitted the following report:

Mr. President:

Your Committee of the Whole, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 536, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

- 1. By striking out of section 4 all after the comma in line 16 and inserting in lieu thereof "\$55,000," as found in printed bill.
- 2. By inserting the following item in section 4 after line 18 as in printed bill.

For the executive department: the sum of two thousand two hundred and fifty dollars (\$2,250) to pay a claim of the Borderland Coal Sales Company against the Northern Hospital for the Insane, on the basis of a settlement approved by the Attorney-General.

3. By striking out all of said line after the comma following the word

"maintenance" in line 20 of section 4 the words "forty-five thousand dollars" and inserting the words "fifty-five thousand dollars." Reference being made to the printed bill.

- 4. By striking out of line 44 in section 4 the words "fifty thousand dollars" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "one hundred thousand dollars." Reference being made to the printed bill.
- 5. By inserting after the word "dollars" in line fifty-eight (58), section four (4), the following: "For turbine engine the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000), for one vacuum pump, two hundred fifty dollars (\$250), for one pump for deep well, five hundred dollars (\$500), for repairs on engine and boiler house, two thousand dollars (\$2,000), for repairs on cottages, residences and ward buildings, three thousand dollars (\$3,000)." Reference being made to the printed bill.
- 6. By striking out in line 65 in section four (4) the words "ten thousand dollars (\$10,000)" and by inserting the words "fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000), and for repair fund the sum of forty-two hundred dollars." Reference being had to the printed bill.
- 7. By changing the period to a comma at the end of line 56 in section 4, and adding the words as follows: "The sum of \$28,179.16 for current expenses to be available at once." Reference being made to the printed bill.
- 8. By inserting in section 4 after comma in said line 127 after the word "cents" the following: "Together with twelve-hundred dollars for the year 1920." Reference being had to the printed bill.
- 9. By renumbering section 4, page 7, and inserting after line No. 128 the following, to be known as section 4A: "For the Industrial Board of Indiana, salaries, office supplies and other expenses, twelve thousand dollars." Reference being made to the printed bill.
- 10. By inserting after line 128 of the printed bill the following, to be known as section 4B: "For the State Library: For additional salaries and services for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1920, the sum of eleven hundred dollars to be apportioned among the office department, catalog department, reference department and Indiana history and archives department by the State Librarian, with the approval of the State Library Board. For additional salary for the State Librarian for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 1920, ending September 30, 1921, the sum of one thousand dollars. For additional salaries and services for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 1920, and ending September 30, 1921, the sum of eight thousand five hundred dollars, to be apportioned among the office department, catalog department, reference department, and Indiana history and archives department by the State Librarian, with the approval of the State Library Board."
- 11. By inserting on page 6 immediately following line 115, section 4, the following: "For the Department of Food and Drugs and Water Laboratory the sum of three thousand dollars to be available for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 1920, and ending September 30, 1921."
- 12. By adding an additional paragraph to section 4 following line No. 128 of the printed bill as follows: "For the Board of Pardons: Salary of clerk, one hundred fifty dollars (\$150) additional for the fiscal year ending

September 30, 1920, and six hundred dollars (\$600) additional for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1921."

- "For the State Highway Commission: The sum of five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000) is hereby re-appropriated as was provided for under the provisions of section twenty-seven (27), subdivision (e) of an act of the General Assembly, entitled 'An act creating a state highway commission, providing for the construction, reconstruction, maintenance, repair and control of public highways, and providing for co-operation with the Federal Government in the construction of rural post roads,' approved March 7. 1917, by the terms of which act the sum of five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000) was appropriated from any money in the State Treasury for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1918, and made a part of the State highway fund, but has never been paid to the State Highway Commission. Said sum of \$500,000 having reverted into the general fund of the State Treasury at the end of the fiscal year of 1918, and for the purpose of making said sum of \$500,000 available for payment to the State Highway Commission in the fiscal year ending September 30, 1921, the said sum of \$500,000 is now re-appropriated for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1921." Reference being made to the printed bill.
- By adding after line 128 of the printed bill at the end of section 4 the following: "For the Department of Conservation: The sum of twelve hundred and ninety-one dollars, representing fees collected by the State gas inspectors for superintending and supervising the plugging of gas wells, and already turned into the State Treasury, is hereby appropriated to the Department of Conservation to be apportioned as additional compensation among such gas inspectors for their services in inspecting and plugging such gas wells. That hereafter the fee for superintending and supervising the plugging of gas wells shall be ten dollars (\$10), which fee shall be collected, as now provided by law, and disposed of as follows: \$8.00 for the services of inspection and plugging of wells and \$2.00 to remain in revolving fund. For the publication of a bulletin on the 'Trees of Indiana' by the Division of Forestry, the sum of three thousand dollars; for the publication of a bulletin on the 'Oil and Gas Resources of Indiana' by the Division of Geology, the sum of two thousand two hundred and fifty dollars."
- 15. By omitting all the words in line 5, section 8, and the words "seven cents" in line 6 and inserting the words "thirty-nine thousand one hundred seventy-one dollars and fifty-seven cents."

HARRY E. NEGLEY, Chairman.

HARRY N. STYNER, Secretary.

Which report was adopted.

Senator Beardsley called up Engrossed House Bill No. 536 for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act making appropriations to provide additional maintenance for the State government, etc.

Senator Beardsley offered the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended and that Engrossed House Bill No. 536 as amended be read the first and second time by title, considered engrossed, read third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

A. H. BEARDSLEY, Senator.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Meeker, Munton, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Tague and Wolfson. Total 34.

None voting in the negative.

So the motion prevailed.

Which bill was read a second time, read a third time, and placed upon its passage.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Douglass, Duffey, Elsner, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Meeker, Munton, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Tague and Wolfson. Total 35.

None voting in the negative.

The President stated that before announcing the vote on the bill he would take the liberty of appointing a special committee composed of Senators Kiper, Elsner, McKinley and Duncan to look over the amendments and to follow this bill through its passage and enactment and signature by the Governor.

And that he would hold the further action on the bill open until morning for the report of this committee and amendment of the bill.

Senator Wolfson moved to amend the title.

Which motion prevailed.

Senators Kiper, Elsner, McKinley and Duncan were appointed a committee to follow the bill.

Senator Dobyns moved that the Senate adjourn until 7:30 p.m. Which motion prevailed.

THURSDAY EVENING.

The Senate convened at 7:30 o'clock p. m. with Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair,

Roll call for a quorum,

Quorum present.

Senator Alldredge called up Senate Engrossed Bill No. 346 for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act for the relief of Grace Seybert, Elizabeth Schlucher, etc.

Which was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The question being, Shall the Engrossed Senate Bill No. 346 pass? The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Tague and Wolfson. Total 32.

Those voting in the negative were:

Cravens, Duffey, Laney. Total 3.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 346 and to transmit the same to that body for further consideration.

Senator Dobyns offered the following motion:

Mr. President:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 406 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

Dobyns, Senator.

Roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Senators Alldredge, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 35.

None voting in the negative.

So the motion prevailed.

Senator Dobyns called up Engrossed Senate Bill No. 406 for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act concerning elections and declaring an emergency.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Senators Alldredge, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode. Tague, Wolfson. Total 34.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of act? It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 406 and transmit the same to that body for further action.

Senator Dobyns offered the following motion:

Mr. President:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 405 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, read third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

DOBYNS, Senator.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Senators Alldredge, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 35.

None voting in the negative.

Which motion prevailed.

Senator Dobyns called up Senate Engrossed Bill No. 405 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend sections 9 and 12 of an act entitled "An act providing for registration of voters, etc."

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the Engrossed Senate Bill No. 405 pass? The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Senators Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 36.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 405 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

Senator Masters called up Engrossed Senate Bill No. 376 for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act concerning common school corporations in cities of over one hundred thousand (100,000) inhabitants.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Senators Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Nejdl, Self, Smith, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 34.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 376 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

Senator Beardsley offered the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 391 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, third time by sections and placed on its passage.

BEARDSLEY, Senator.

Roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Senators Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Nejdl, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Wolfson. Total 34.

None voting in the negative.

So the motion prevailed.

Senator Beardsley called up Engrossed Senate Bill No. 391 entitled:

A bill for an act to fix the rate of interest on bonds issued by school corporations, etc.

Which bill was read a second time by sections, read a third time and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Senators Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Nejdl, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 33.

Those voting in the negative were:

Cravens, Kline.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 391 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

Senator McKinley, chairman of Committee on Judiciary "A," submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Judiciary "A," to which was referred House Bill No. 548, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate, with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

McKINLEY,

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator McKinley offered the following motion:

Mr. President:

I move to amend Engrossed Senate Bill No. 352. That Senate Bill No. 352 be re-committed to a committee of one, its author, with special instructions to amend as follows: By changing the period (.) at the end of section 1; inserting a semi-colon (;) in lieu thereof and adding the following: Provided that nothing in this act shall be construed to prevent the increase of such salary, compensation or per diem by reason of the provisions of any law now in force prescribing and fixing any such salary, compensation or per diem on the basis of population and that the last section be renumbered and designated as section 4.

McKinley, Senator.

Senator Brown submitted the following report:

Mr. President:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 352 begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

Brown, Senator.

The bill was ordered re-engrossed.

Senator Brown then called up Engrossed Senate Bill No. 352 for a third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act providing that salaries, etc., of public officials shall not be diminished by reason of increase or decrease in population.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Senators Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McCullough, McKinley, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Tague, Wolfson. Total 34.

Senator McConaha voting in the negative.

So the bill passed as amended.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 352 and transmit the same to that body for further action.

Senator McKinley offered the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move to suspend the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days and that Senate Bill No. 394 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, read third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

McKinley, Senator.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Senators Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Nejdl, Ratts, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 36.

None voting in the negative.

So the motion prevailed.

Senator McKinley called up Senate Engrossed Bill No. 394 entitled:

A bill for an act making an appropriation to Rhoda J. Chase.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Senators Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Nejdl, Ratts, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 36.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

. It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 394 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Judiciary "A," to which was referred Senate Bill No. 349, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows: By adding at the end of section 1 the following: "Provided, however, That such action for correction of assessment valuations made in the year 1919 shall be filed within sixty days from the date when this act takes effect; and for the correction of any assessments so increased in any year subsequent to the year 1919 such action shall be brought within sixty days after such increased valuation shall have been certified to the auditor of the county in which the property is situated."

And by adding at the end of section 3 the following: "Provided further, That if at the time of such finding of an excess payment above true cash value, any amount of such excess shall have been accounted for and paid over to the treasurer of any taxing unit, the county treasurer shall at the next regular settlement with such treasurer deduct the amount of such excess payment chargeable to such unit," and when so amended that the said bill do pass.

McKinley, Senator.

On motion of Senator Wolfson the Senate adjourned until 10 o'clock a.m. Friday, July 16th, 1920.

EDGAR D. BUSH, President of the Senate.

W. M. LOUDEN,

Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

FRIDAY MORNING.

July 16, 1920.

The Senate convened at 10 o'clock a. m. with Lieutenant-Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Representative Jinnett of the House of Representatives.

Roll call for a quorum.

Quorum present.

On motion of Senator Wolfson the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed Senate Bill No. 367 and the same is herewith returned to the Senate.

John W. Thiel, Principal Clerk of the House.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the Governor has approved House Enrolled Act No. 537 and the same has been deposited with the Secretary of State.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 45.

Senator Wolfson offered the following Joint Resolution No. 45:

A joint Senate resolution directing the Department of Conservation to conduct an investigation relative to the natural resources of the State and submit a report and recommendations to the regular session of the General Assembly of 1921.

Section 1. Be it resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, That for the purpose the better to protect the interests of the people in the lands and waters, oil, mineral and other natural resources of the State, by proper legislation, the Department of Conservation be directed to prepare for and to submit to the next regular session a full and detailed report on all lands belonging to the State or claimed by it, on the condition of lakes, rivers and streams as it relates to the drainage, floods, pollution and use for power; on the extension and desirability of state parks and state forests, erosion of land and the problem of reforestation; on proper methods of mining coal and other minerals and avoiding waste in oil fields; on the need of topographic survey and such other subjects as come under the classification of natural resources and their conservation

and development. That this report be accompanied with recommendations to obtain the desired end.

Wolfson, Senator.

Which resolution was adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Senator McKinley, chairman of Committee on Judiciary "A," to which was referred Senate Bill No. 390, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate that said bill do pass.

McKinley,

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Munton offered the following motion and moved its adoption:

MB. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 361 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, read the third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

MUNTON, Senator.

The roll was called.

The question was, Shall the rules be suspended?

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Senators Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Elsner, English, Erskine, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 37.

None voting in the negative.

Senate Bill No. 361 was read a second time by title.

Senator Munton called up Engrossed Senate Bill No. 361 for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section one (1) of an act entitled "An act to amend section three (3) of an act entitled 'An act concerning drainage, and repealing laws in conflict,' approved March 11, 1907," approved March 11, 1919.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Senators Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Elsner, English, Erskine, Furnas, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCullough, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 35.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 361 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

Senator Self offered the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 393 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, read the third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

SELF, Senator.

The roll was called,

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Elsner, English, Erskine, Furnas, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kline, Laney, McConaha, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Self, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 32.

None voting in the negative.

So the motion prevailed.

Senate Bill No. 393 was read the second time and considered engrossed.

Senator Self called up Engrossed Senate Bill No. 393 for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 4 of an act to amend sections 2, 3, 4 and 6 of an act entitled "An act providing for levy of an annual tax for state common school tuition fund, etc."

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Elsner, English, Erskine, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kline, Laney, McConaha, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 35.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 393 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 390 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, then read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

NEGLEY, Senator.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duncan, English, Erskine, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, James, Kiper, Kline, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Tague, Wolfson. Total 34.

Those voting in the negative were: Arnold, Elsner, Hagerty, Humphreys, Laney, Nejdl. Total 6.

Senate Bill No. 390 was then read a second time by title.

Senator Negley called up Engrossed Senate Bill No. 390 for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act abolishing the employment commission of Indiana, continuing in full force and effect the rights, powers and duties conferred by law on the employment commission and transferring such rights, powers and duties to the industrial board and prescribing the powers of the industrial board in connection therewith.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston Humphreys, James, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Ratts, Self, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 33.

Those voting in the negative were:

Arnold, Nejdl. Total 2.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 390 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

The Lieutenant-Governor announced that he had signed Engrossed Senate Bill No. 390.

SENATE RESOLUTION.

Senator Laney offered the following resolution:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

Whereas, For more than two score years or more, one of the members of this dignified body did not realize that he was only half prepared for the journey of life—with no one to share his sorrows—to increase his joys—to lift the veil from his heart—to throw sunshine amid the darkest scenes, but at last he has found her, and

Whereas, He says that he never knew until recently why he saw more women than men, and now it has dawned upon him that he finds that it is in conformity with the arrangements of nature, that we always see more of heaven than earth, and

Whereas, He says that for years he thought that he might as well ask to find the philosopher's stone or the elixir of perpetual youth, or the Utopia of perfect life; and that he waited for certain dreams of Elysium to be fulfilled by beatific realities, and

Whereas, He realized that he is one of the sex which is the capstone of the climax of parodoxes; a complete budget of contradictions; a hetereogeneous compound of good and evil; the noble works of God bespattered by Lucifer; an immortal being cleaving to things not eternal; a rational being violating reason; an original harmonious compact violating order and reveling in confusion, and

Whereas, Now that he has been convinced of the reason why he always saw more women than men; and has taken one of them, to spread around him the flowers of his existence, like unto the creepers of the forest, which decorate the trunks of the sturdy oak with their perfumed garlands. He at last has found the one who has fascinated him and innocently bewitched him forever.

Therefore be it resolved, By the Senate assembled that he, Senator McCullough, is to be heartly congratulated for at last having seen the error of his way and repented thereof, and

Be it further resolved, That in commemoration of that sublime event that his desk be decorated with a bouquet of roses and sweet forget-me-nots.

Laney, Furnas, Senators.

Which resolution was adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Senator Hogston, chairman of the Committee on Criminal Code, submitted the following report:

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Criminal Code, to which was referred Senate Bill

No. 404, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate that said bill do pass.

HOGSTON.

Chairman.

Negley,
McKinley,
Smith,
Masters,
McCullough,
Hagerty.

Senators.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Senator Dobyns, chairman of the Committee on Roads, submitted the following report:

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 383, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate that said bill do pass.

Dobyns, · Chairman.

Senator Dobyns, chairman of Committee on Roads, submitted the following report:

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 408, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate that said bill do pass.

Dobyns, Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

SENATE BILL No. 410.

Senator Kline introduced Senate Bill No. 410 entitled:

A bill for an act legalizing all acts, orders and proceedings of board of commissioners of any county, etc.

Which bill was read the first time by title and referred to Committee on County and Township Business.

SENATE BILL No. 411.

Senator Masters introduced Senate Bill No. 411 entitled:

A bill for an act in relation to summary proceedings to recover possession of real estate in cities, etc.

Which bill was read the first time by title and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

SENATE BILL No. 398.

Senator English called up Senate Bill No. 398 for second reading, entitled:

A bill for an act entitled "An act concerning taxation and temporary loans of cities of the first class and the executive departments thereof, and declaring an emergency."

Which bill was read a second time by title and ordered engrossed.

SENATE BILL No. 349.

Senator English called up Senate Bill No. 349 for second reading entitled:

A bill for an act to provide relief from and for correction of assessment valuation for taxation in cases where any Board of Equalization or State Board of Tax Commissioners shall have increased any county or township assessments or valuations for purposes of equalization and declaring an emergency.

Which bill was read a second time by title and ordered engrossed.

SENATE BILL No. 397.

Senator Douglass called up Senate Bill No. 397 for second reading, entitled:

A bill for an act concerning interurban railroads.

Which bill was read a second time by title and ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Beardsley the Senate adjourned to 2 o'clock p. m.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON.

July 16, 1920.

The Senate convened at 2 o'clock with Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Roll call for quorum.

Quorum present.

Senator Hogston called up Engrossed Senate Bill No. 378 for second reading.

Senator Bowers moved to strike out the enacting clause of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 378.

Senator Hogston moved to table the motion made by Senator Bowers.

The motion to lay on the table was lost by a vote of 11 to 29.

The question was then on the motion of Senator Bowers.

Motion prevailed by vote of 26 to 13.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed House Bills Nos. 509 and 511 and the same are herewith transmitted to the Senate for further action.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House. The Chair handed down House Bill No. 509 entitled:

A bill for an act to prevent fraud in sale and disposition of stocks, bonds, etc.

Referred the same to Committee on Judiciary "A."

The Chair handed down House Bill No. 511 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend sections 1, 3, 5 and 17, etc., of an act entitled "An act for the establishment, opening, widening, etc., of highways, culverts, and bridges, etc.," and referred the same to the Committee on Roads.

Senator Ratts, chairman of Committee on Judiciary "B," submitted the following report:

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Judiciary "B," to which was referred Senate Bill No. 401, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Ratts, Chairman.

. Which report was concurred in.

Senator Furnas submitted the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 401 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, third time by sections, and placed upon its passage.

The roll was called:

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Bracken, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 34.

Those voting in the negative were: Erskine, Hepler, McCullough. Total 3.

Senate Bill No. 401 was called for second reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to legalize the incorporation of Central Academy Association of the town of Plainfield, in the County of Hendricks, State of Indiana, and to legalize the reorganization of said Central Academy Association, and to legalize the changing of the name of said Central Academy

Which bill was read a second time by title and engrossed.

Senate Engrossed Bill No. 401 was called up for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to legalize the incorporation of Central Academy Association of the Town of Plainfield, in the County of Hendricks, State of Association to Central Academy, etc.



Indiana, and to legalize the reorganization of said Central Academy Association and to legalize the changing of the name of said Central Academy Association to Central Academy, and to legalize the election and qualification of the trustees of Central Academy Association, and to legalize and make valid the changing of the relation of Central Academy Association and Central Academy to the Friends Church, having control over it and to make valid the acts of their trustees.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Bowers, Bracken, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Erskine, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Tague, Wolfson. Total 37.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 401 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

Senator Negley offered the following motion:

Mr. President:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 375 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed and read a third time and placed upon its passage.

NEGLEY, Senator.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Smith, Southworth, Tague, Wolfson. Total 35.

Erskine voting in the negative. Total 1.

So the motion prevailed.

SENATE BILL No. 375.

Senator Negley called up Engrossed Senate Bill No. 375 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act concerning compensation for care of dependent children."

SENATE MOTION.

Senator Douglass offered the following amendment:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move to amend Senate Bill No. 375 by inserting another section after section 1 the following:

"Section 2. That the proper authorities having charge of any orphans' home or orphans' asylum are hereby authorized to expend any funds which may have been raised by means of fairs, bazaars, bequests, entertainments or any other legitimate means of raising revenue, on the betterment or to promote the welfare of such home asylum or inmates," and renumbering section 2 as section 3, reference being had to the printed bill.

Douglass, Senator.

The motion to adopt the amendment prevailed.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Smith, Southworth, Tague, Wolfson. Total 38.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 375 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

MR. PRESIDENT AND GENTLEMEN OF THE SENATE:

I have this day approved Senate Bill No. 367 and have caused the same to be filed with the Secretary of State.

Very truly yours,

J. P. GOODRICH, Governor of Indiana.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has not concurred in Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 536 and the Speaker of the House has appointed Representatives Miltenberger,

Mendenhall and Benz a conference committee to meet and confer with a like committee of the Senate and to report thereon.

JOHN W. THIEL, Clerk of the House.

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move that the vote by which Engrossed House Bill No. 536 was passed be reconsidered.

CRAVENS, Senator.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that Engrossed House Bill No. 536 be recommitted to a committee of one, Senator English, with specific instructions to amend the same by inserting after line 46, section (4) of the printed bill the following:

"For the State Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument, the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000) as additional maintenance fund; for the purpose and installment of 48 candelabra lamps, two thousand dollars (\$2,000); for repairs to the lightning rod system, three hundred dollars (\$300), and for the purchase of electric scrubbing machine, one hundred sixty dollars (\$160).

RATTS, Senator.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 536, begs leave to report that said-bill has been amended as directed.

ENGLISH, Senator.

Senator Furnas submitted the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that House Bill No. 536 be referred to a committee of one, Senator McKinley, with specific instructions to amend as follows: All paragraphs appended to said bill following line 128, section 4, be numbered consecutively as follows:

Amendment No. 12 as section 4C.

Amendment No. 13 as section 4D.

Amendment No. 14 as section 4E.

Amendment No. 16 as section 4F.

Which motion was concurred in.

Senator McKinley submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 536, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

McKinley, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 536 entitled:

A bill for an act making appropriations to provide additional maintenance for the State Government, etc.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the Engrossed House Bill No. 536 pass? The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bracken, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Erskine, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Laney, McConaha, McCullough, McKinley, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Wolfson. Total 35.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed House Bill No. 536 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring that bills be read on three separate days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 397 be considered engrossed and read third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

Douglass, Senator.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Erskine, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeler, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Smith, Southworth, Tague, Wolfson. Total 38.

None voting in the negative.

So the motion prevailed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 397 was called up for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act concerning interurban railroad companies, granting additional rights, privileges, powers therein specified and matters relating thereto, repealing all laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown,

Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Tague, Wolfson. Total 39.

McCray voting in the negative. Total 1.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 397 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

The President appointed Senators McConaha, McKinley and Laney as a conference committee on the part of the Senate to consider House Bill No. 536.

SENATE BILL No. 371.

Senator Hogston called up Senate Bill No. 371 for second reading, entitled:

A bill for an act regulating the hours of duty of the members of the fire department or fire force in every city or town in the State of Indiana, providing for the payment of said members, and then fixing the time when same shall take effect.

Which bill was read a second time by title and ordered engrossed.

SENATE BILL No. 350.

Senator Negley called up Senate Bill No. 350 entitled:

A bill for an act defining the crime of "pernicious hoarding," fixing the venue thereof, and penalties for the violation thereof and fixing the time when same shall take effect.

Which bill was read a second time by title and ordered engressed.

Senator Duncan called up Senate Bill No. 404 for second reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 489 of an act entitled "An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905, and declaring an emergency.

Which bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Senator Beardsley moved to adjourn until 7:30 o'clock p. m.

Which motion prevailed.

FRIDAY EVENING.

July 16, 1920.

Senate convened at 7:30 o'clock p. m.

Roll call for a quorum.

Quorum present.

Senator Bainum called up Engrossed Senate Bill No. 351 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of an act to amend section 63 of an act fixing the compensation and prescribing the duties of certain state and county officers, etc. (1917.)

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage. The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bracken, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, English, Erskine, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, James, Kiper, Kline, McCray, McCullough, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Tague. Total 31.

Those voting in the negative were:

Elsner, Humphreys and Strode. Total 3.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 351 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

SENATE BILL No. 412.

Senator Masters introduced Senate Bill No. 412 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 17 of "An act concerning the department of sanitation in cities of first class."

Referred to Committee on the Affairs of the City of Indianapolis.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed House Bill No. 514 and the same is herewith transmitted to the Senate for further action.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

Senator Duncan submitted the following motion:

Mr. President:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 404 be considered engrossed, read the third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

Roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bracken, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, McCray, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Tague. Total 33.

Those voting in the negative were:

Senator McCullough. Total 1.

Which motion prevailed.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 404 was called up for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 489 entitled "An act concerning public offenses," approved March 10, 1905, and declaring an emergency.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, English, Erskine, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, McCray, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Tague. Total 34.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 404 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

On motion of Senator Beardsley the Senate adjourned until 10 o'clock a.m., July 17th, 1920.

EDGAR D. BUSH, President of the Senate.

W. M. LOUDEN,

Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

SATURDAY MORNING.

July 17, 1920.

The Senate convened at 10 o'clock a. m., with Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Senator Bainum of Knox County.

Roll call for quorum.

Quorum present.

Senator Cravens moved that when the Senate do adjourn that it adjourns to meet at 2 o'clock p. m., Monday, July 19, 1920.

Which motion prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed Senate Bills Nos. 373 and 390 and that the same are herewith returned to the Senate.

John W. Thirt, Clerk of the House.

. COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 410, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

SOUTHWORTH.

Chairman.

LANEY.
ALLDREDGE,
HUMPHREYS.
GRANT.
ARNOLD,
KIPER.
McCullough.
JAMES,

Which report was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Judiciary "A," to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 509, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with recommendation that said bill do pass.

McKinley.
English.
Strode,
James.
Hogston.
McCullough.
Decker,
Masters.

Which report was concurred in.

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 514 entitled: A bill for an act concerning taxation.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to the Committee of the Whole.

Senator English submitted the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 398 be considered engrossed, read a third time by sections, and placed upon its passage.

Which motion was concurred in.

The question being, Shall the constitutional rule be suspended?

Roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, James, Kiper, Kline, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Tague, Wolfson, Total 34.

Those voting in the negative were:

Arnold, Cravens, Erskine, Humphreys, Laney. Total 5.

So the constitutional rules were suspended.

SENATE MOTION.

· Mr. President:

I move that Engrossed Senate Bill No. 398 be recommitted to a committee of one, Senator Wolfson, with specific instructions to amend by striking from line 10 of the printed bill the words and figures "seven per cent (7%)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures "six and one-half per cent (6½%)."

English, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 398, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

Wolfson, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that Engrossed Senate Bill No. 398 be recommitted to a committee of one, Senator Wolfson, with specific instructions to amend by striking out all of section 1 after the word "exceeding" in line 10 and after the word "thereof" in line 18.

By thereafter inserting the words and figures "six and one-half per cent $(6\frac{1}{2})$ per annum" after the word "Exceeding" in line 10, and the word "such" before the word "city" at the beginning of line 19 of said section 1.

By striking out from section 2 the words "and such additional taxes may be assessed, levied and collected."

By striking from section 3 the words "concerning taxation" in line 1 and the word "taxation" in line 3.

By inserting in section 3 the word "be" after the word "shall" in line 1, and the words "temporary loans" at the beginning of line 3.

ENGLISH, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 398, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

Wolfson, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the title to Senate Bill No. 398 be amended by striking out from the title the words "taxation and" in line No. 1 thereof.

ENGLISH, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 398, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

English, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move that Engrossed Senate Bill No. 398 be recommitted to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend by inserting the words "of the first class" after the word "city" in line 19 of the bill as printed.

NEGLEY, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

The bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Decker, Duffey, Duncan, English, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, James, Kiper, Kline, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Wolfson. Total 30.

Those voting in the negative were:

Cravens, Dorrell, Douglass, Humphreys, Laney. Total 5.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 398 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

The President ordered Senate Bill Nos. 373 and 390 to be enrolled.

Senator Duffey called up Senate Bill No. 408 entitled:

A bill for an act to allow the Highway Commission to increase partial payments to contractors ten cents.

Which bill was read a second time and ordered engrossed.

Senator Duffey moved to make House Bill No. 548 a special order of business for 3 o'clock p. m. Monday, July 19th, 1920.

Which motion prevailed.

Senator Dobyns moved that the Senate adjourn until 2 o'clock p. m. Monday, July 19th, 1920.

Which motion prevailed.

EDGAR D. BUSH, President of the Senate.

WILLIAM M. LOUDEN,

Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

MONDAY AFTERNOON.

July 19, 1920.

The Senate convened at 2 o'clock p. m. with Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Senator Alldredge.

Roll call for a quorum.

Quorum present.

On motion of Senator Wolfson, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

Governor James P. Goodrich appeared before the Senate and delivered the following message:

GOVERNOR'S MESSAGE.

GENTLEMEN OF THE SENATE:

In addressing the Senate last Saturday, Senator Cravens stated that "before action by the Senate is taken on the House bill giving to the Public Service Commission authority to issue coal car priority orders or on any of the other measures pending before this legislature which are of

so vital importance and so essential to the life, health and comfort of all the people of the State, that some advocate of this measure or he who had it drafted answer" certain questions.

Since the distinguished gentleman well knew it was the chief executive who had requested the drafting of the measure referred to, as well as House Bill No. 597 creating a coal commission to take charge of the distribution of coal and to regulate the prices, I desire at this time, in conveying a message to the Senate, to answer the questions of the Senator and then address you briefly upon the two measures involved in your deliberations.

It occurs to me that the questions propounded by Senator Cravens are intended more for their political effect than to enlighten the Senate as to the substantial merits of the two House bills before you for your consideration. Neither the questions nor the answers touch the merits of the bill. If the executive is guilty of the practices intimated by the questions asked, though they might reflect upon his integrity, they would in no way constitute an argument for or against the pending measures. Interested as I am, directly and indirectly, in the operation of certain coal properties in the State, I realize the embarrassment under which the executive rests in recommending the enactment into law of the two House bills. I have conceived it to be my duty to apply, in the discharge of my public duties as Governor of the State, such knowledge and information as I have acquired in the conduct of my private affairs. I cannot separate into two compartments the knowledge acquired as a citizen and my duties as Governor, apart from this knowledge. The two inevitably are linked together.

When the people of Indiana voted for me, they had a right to assume that whatever knowledge I had acquired or ability I possessed by reason of my experience in private affairs would be used for the benefit of the people in the administration of the high office with which they honored me. It is too well known to need any repetition here that I have never hesitated to recommend legislation to the General Assembly without respect to my personal interests—interests that were certain to be adversely affected by such legislation. I recommended the excise tax law when every corporation in which I was interested would have been adversely affected by it. Indiana led the fight for lower coal prices throughout the nation - during the early part of my administration while myself, my friends and my relatives were interested in the operation of coal mines in the state. I recommended a reduction in waiting period and an increase in the rate of compensation under the compensation law, the shot firers' law and the bill to make the compensation laws compulsory in the mining industry, all adversely affecting my private and personal interests. I urged the enactment of the present tax law, which has increased by more than 200 per cent the taxes paid by every company in which I am concerned, except banking institutions, and I am urging upon the Senate at this time the enactment into law of the two House bills after you have given them careful consideration and made such amendments as you may deem the public interest may demand. I do it, notwithstanding the fact that I am certain if House Bill No. 597 becomes a law and the courts sustain the State in the exercise of this power, it will heavily reduce the income and the profits of coal properties in which I am interested.

As to the questions asked by Senator Cravens, I answer them in the order set out in his written statement to the Senate:

- 1. Yes, the Lenoir Coal Company was organized in 1917. I was not then nor have I ever been a director of the company. Goodrich Bros. of Winchester and Kitselman Bros. of Muncie were in 1917 and still are heavy buyers of coal and between them handle a large part of the output of a mine. In 1917, during the stress of war, and to assure a supply of coal to themselves and their customers, the two firms caused to be organized the Lenoir Coal Company, each taking one-third of the stock for distribution among their associates. Clarence Jones of Terre Haute took the remaining one-third for himself and his associates. I never served as a director, nor do I know of my own knowledge who the directors were or are.
- 2. Neither the record of my own checks nor the record of the Lenoir Coal Company show that I gave a check for either \$7,333.33 or \$13,000, as stated in the Senator's second question. I did, however, purchase some bonds of the Lenoir Coal Company in 1917 and I think twenty-four shares of stock, but neither the bonds or stock were purchased for Mr. Costin nor had I any such transaction with him. Recently and in this year I gave the company a check for \$10,000 to purchase stock in the company. This stock I gave to my son as a wedding present and the certificate was issued to him last week.
- 3. Earl M. Costin is General Manager of the Big Four System. He is my friend of many years' standing. I have known him since he was a young man, doing the "day trick" as dispatcher at Union City, Indiana. I did not go with Mr. Costin in his private car to inspect the Lenoir mine. The Lenoir mine is not on the Big Four railroad and I have never seen this mine or been near it. This mine never received any preference in the way of coal cars and statement No. 3 is absolutely false in every way.

The simple truth is, as I am advised by the officers of the coal company, that when in May the Big Four railroad advertised for bids for company coal, it assured bidders that if the entire output of a mine were sold to the railroad, the road, under authority of the Interstate Commerce Commission, would furnish 100 per cent car service, so that the mine might run every day and be able, therefore, to make a low price to the railroad. The Lenoir Company bid \$3 per ton on its entire output, conditioned that 100 per cent car service was to be furnished. The bid was accepted and the Lenoir Company began May 24th to deliver its entire output to the railroad.

When the contract was sent to the officers of the coal company for signature, they refused to sign it, unless a clause was inserted in the contract that upon failure to furnish 100 per cent car service, the coal company might cancel the contract and collect \$4 per ton for each ton of coal that had been furnished. The railroad company refused to agree to the amendment. The coal company refused to go on without it and the last of June the Lenoir Company quit furnishing coal to the railroad company altogether.

It may be of interest to observe that the coal company during the short time it furnished the railroad its entire output, only received one day's car supply more than other mines in the district not operating on railroad account and yet it received for its coal only \$3 per ton as compared with an outside market price of from \$6 to \$6.50 per ton.

I did make an inspection trip over the E. & I. railroad with E. M.

Costin in his private car in the month of June, not to inspect any particular mine, but to inspect the railroad. During the war, the E. & I. was in the hands of a receiver, losing money, charging exorbitant freight rates and rendering little service to the southwestern part of the State. Believing that the acquirement of this road by some road that could develop its latent possibilities was of great importance to the State, I thought it not inappropriate for the executive to do whatever lay within his power to help bring that about. First, I went to Mr. Kurrie, of the Monon, then a member of the State Council of Defense, and urged the Monon to take it over. Failing there, I went to Mr. Coneys of the Pennsylvania Lines and again was unsuccessful. I then went to Mr. Costin of the Big Four and finally convinced him that the E. & I. could be made a valuable property for the Big Four System and secured his friendly interest in the matter. I went to a great deal of trouble to procure the data with respect to the coal fields in the territories served by the E. & I., laid it before Mr. Costin and Mr. Smith, the President of the New York Central Lines, and from time to time aided in furnishing them the information necessary for them to act intelligently. The Big Four finally closed the contract for the E. & I. Under Big Four direction, it is doing far better than the purchaser had hoped. Mr. Costin has often invited me to go over the road with him to show me what has been accomplished under his direction, stating in that connection that had it not been for the interest I had taken in the road. the Big Four probably would not have purchased it. I had expressed a willingness to do this. This finally led to the trip over the road with Mr. Costin a few weeks ago. We stopped at a number of mines along the road and spent the entire day in the inspection of that part of the road extending from Petersburg north.

- 4. Jet Moorman is not operating any mine anywhere for Governor Goodrich, nor is he operating two mines on the E. & I railroad, or anywhere else. The Patoka Coal Company, of which J. T. Moorman is President, operates one mine on the Southern railroad and is opening another mine at Rogers, on the E. & I.
- 5. I never said the two mines operated by Mr. Moorman were paying \$40,000 per month and I very much regret that I cannot truthfully make such a statement at this time, for my family and myself are financially interested in the success of these mines.
- 6. It is not a fact that the Lenoir Coal Company or the Patoka Coal Company is receiving all or anyways near all the cars they ask for or any preference whatever. Such assertion is absolutely false and without the slightest foundation.

. If the distinguished Senator has any evidence to substantiate this charge, he can give the evidence to Mr. Van Nuys, the United States District Court, where it is reasonably certain that fair and impartial justice will be meted out to them.

The list of stockholders of the Lenoir Coal Company set out in the fifth specification of the Senator may be correct. I have never examined the books of the company and know nothing except as it is reported to me.

I urge the enactment of House Bill No. 548 because it places in the hands of the Public Service Commission the power to order 100 per cent car service to any mine operating in whole or in part on State account. I urge

this for two reasons: First, it would enable us in time of crisis to guarantee to the State institutions an adequate supply of coal. Again, because it will enable the State to purchase its coal upon the same level as the railroads of the State. There can be no possible objection to the State using the power that lies within its grasp for the protection of its own interests. The bill authorizing the State to regulate the price of coal in Indiana is essential at this time for the proper protection of our people. Some question may be raised as to this being the proper exercise of the police power of the State. I admit that the question is not free from doubt, but it is for the General Assembly to take such action as may be needed in the public interest and in questions of doubt leave the question of the constitutional power to the judgment of last resort.

We have within the borders of our State an abundance of soft coal of most excellent quality. We have the man power ready and willing to mine the coal at a reasonable wage. Not only in this State but throughout the country the mines are producing more tons of coal per month than ever before, except during the war period, and our production at this time is far in excess of last year. Notwithstanding this fact, exorbitant prices are being charged throughout the State and nation-prices that result for the time being in an excessive profit for one of the necessities of life. A hysteria for buying is prevalent everywhere. Consumers are bidding against each other and forcing the price to an unnatural level. The situation affects every home in the State. The coal operators of Indiana under existing conditions are able to charge a profit of one hundred per cent of the cost of mining, including depreciation, depletion and overhead. This is increasing the burden upon every household in the State and is affecting every public utility. If the State is powerless to protect its citizens against this situation and if it is permitted to continue unrestrained, it will cast such an increased burden upon the utilities as to make necessary the increase of every light, heat and gas rate in Indiana, thus adding to the already heavy burden of living expense.

Coal is a commodity essential to the preservation of life and industry in our State. Without it we cannot exist. To maintain, as some citizens do, that the coal operators should be permitted to go unrestrained, that the State has no authority to regulate the price they charge for their product because coal mining is a purely private business, is to hold that the State is helpless to protect its own citizens against injustice and extortion.

Coal is not only an essential commodity, but under present conditions it is a monopolized commodity and if the operators are permitted to continue unrestrained, there is no limit to the prices they can extort, or the amount of suffering they can cause by such extortion.

The State has regulated the toll to be charged by the millers of the State, regulated the charges for public warehouses, for furnishing heat, light, water and gas, and in the present crisis, it should not hesitate to exercise the police power that I believe to be inherent in the State under the constitution and the common law, to regulate not only the mining and sale of coal by the operators, but to extend that regulation through the jobbers down to the retailer who furnishes it to the consumer.

In the early part of the war I caused a thorough study to be made of

this whole question by competent attorneys in this city and elsewhere, and at that time reached the conclusion that the State has the power to regulate the coal industry. Upon the assumption that the Federal Government might not then take control of the matter, I caused to be prepared a bill authorizing the creation of a commission to regulate the mining, transportation and sale of coal. The substances of this bill is embodied in the House bill which is before you for consideration and I hope that the Senate will give to it its deliberate, careful and most favorable consideration. Grave legal questions are involved. The law when enacted will be attacked in the highest courts of the land. The most able and most skillful lawyers in America will be employed to assail it and to strike down its provisions because of an alleged lack of constitutional power.

While I am, of course, exceedingly anxious to see the deliberations of this General Assembly brought to a speedy conclusion, yet this matter is of such vital importance to the State that I urge you to take whatever time may be necessary to its proper consideration.

SENATE MOTION.

Senator English moved that the Governor's message be spread at large upon the Journal.

Which motion prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed House Bills Nos. 506 and 520 and the same are herewith transmitted to the Senate for further action.

JOHN W. THIEL,
Principal Clerk of the House.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed Senate Bills Nos. 361, 391, 405 and 406 and the same are herewith returned to the Senate.

JOHN W. THEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

Senator Strode moved that the Chair appoint a committee to inquire into the status of House Bill No. 569.

Which motion prevailed.

The President appointed Senators Strode, Self and Humphreys as such committee.

Moved by Senator Beardsley, seconded by Senator Furnas, that House Bill No. 548 be made a special order of business for 10:30 a. m. Tuesday, July 20th, 1920.

Which motion prevailed.

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 520 entitled:

A bill for an act providing for establishment of office of City Treasurer in the third class cities.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 506 entitled:

A bill for an act concerning cities which have advanced to a higher class by reason of an increase in population, etc.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

The Chair handed down Senate Bills Nos. 391, 406, 405 and 361 and ordered the same enrolled.

Senator Duffey called up Engrossed Senate Bill No. 408 for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 19 of an act entitled "An act creating a State highway commission, providing for the appointment of the members of the State highway commission, for the appointment of a director and of employes of the State highway commission, providing for the division of the work of the commission, for the establishment of a system of State highways, for the construction, maintenance, repair and control of public highways, for the creation of a State highway fund, providing for the violation of the provisions of said act, providing for co-operation with the Federal Government in the construction of rural post roads, repealing an act entitled 'An act creating a State highway commission,' providing for the construction, reconstruction, maintenance, repair and control of public highways, and providing for co-operation with the Federal Government in the construction of rural post roads," (approved March 7, 1917), and repealing all other laws and parts of laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency, approved March 10, 1918, and declaring an emergency.

Which bill was read a third time by sections, and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McCray, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Wolfson. Total 30.

Those voting in the negative were:

Bracken, Cravens, Decker, Dorrell, Grant, McConaha, McCullough. Total 7.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 408 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed Senate Bill No. 393 and that the same is herewith returned to the Senate.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed House Bill No. 597 and the same is herewith transmitted to the Senate for further action.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

The Chair handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 393 and the same was ordered enrolled.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that Engrossed Senate Bill No. 371 be recommitted to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend by:

Striking out of section one (1) all of line 13 after the period (.) following the word "provided" therein and all of lines 14, 15, 16 and 17. Reference being had to the printed bill.

McKinley, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 371, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

Hogston, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Hogston called up Engrossed Senate Bill No. 371 entitled:

A bill for an act to regulate the hours of duty of the members of the fire department or fire force in every city or town in the State of Indiana, providing for the payment of said members, and fixing a time when the same shall take effect.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Decker, Dorrell, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Meeker, Metzger, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 33.

Those voting in the negative were:

Beardsley, Douglass, Kline. Total 3.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 371 and transmit the same to that body for further action.

The Chair announced that he had signed Senate Enrolled Act No. 391,

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 597 entitled:

A bill for an act entitled "An act to regulate the price of coal mined and sold in the State of Indiana, to authorize the seizure of coal mines and facilities by the State and providing compensation for the owners, and to investigate the high cost of food products, profiteering, hoarding and destroying of food products, etc."

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.

The same is ordered printed.

Senator Negley called up Engrossed Senate Bill No. 350 entitled:

A bill for an act defining the crime of "pernicious hoarding," fixing the venue thereof and penalties for violation thereof, etc.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Decker, Duffey, Furnas, Grant, Hogston, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Negley, Ratts, Signs, Tague. Total 19.

Those voting in the negative were:

Bracken, Brown, Cravens, Dorrell, Douglass, Duncan, Elsner, Hepler, Humphreys, Kline, Laney, McCullough, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Wolfson. Total 17.

So the bill failed to pass for want of a constitutional majority.

Senator Smith, chairman of Committee on Fees and Salaries, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred Senate

Bill No. 402, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out all of said bill after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"That for their services performed under and by virtue of the provisions of any of the laws of this State providing for the construction or repair of highways, county surveyors, civil engineers, levelman, rodmen, chainmen, axmen and other assistants shall be paid their per diem and compensation up to the time of the filing of the suppplemental report out of the general fund of the county without specific appropriation.

Provided, That all sums so paid shall be repaid to the general fund, as soon as it is available from the sale of bonds: And provided further, That in case of township roads, and in the event the contract be not let (or the bonds be not sold within two years from the date of such report) the amount so paid shall be repaid to the general fund of the county or township asking for the highway improvement, in equal proportion.

Section 2. All laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 3. Whereas, An emergency exists for the immediate taking effect of this act the same shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage."

And when so amended, that said bill do pass.

SMITH, GBANT. HEPLER. SELF. SIGNS. ELSNER. TAGUE.

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move that House Bill No. 509 be made a special order of business at 3 o'clock July 20th, 1920.

RATTS, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

On motion of Senator Hogston, the Senate adjourned until 10 o'clock a.m. Tuesday, July 20th, 1920.

EDGAR D. BUSH, President of the Senate.

WILLIAM M. LOUDEN,

Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

TUESDAY MORNING.

July 20, 1920.

The Senate convened at 10 o'clock a. m. Tuesday, July 20, 1920, with Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Representative Johnson of the House.

Roll call for quorum.

Quorum present.

Senator Furnas submitted the following resolution, reading:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

Whereas, Senator Kline presented to his colleagues and employees of this Senate yesterday bouquets from flowers grown on his farm; be it resolved, That the Senate express to him, by a standing vote, our appreciation for his kindness and assure him that his generosity will ever linger with us as a pleasant memorial.

FURNAS, Senator.

Which resolution was adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred House Bill No. 511, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Dobyns, Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

SENATE BILL No. 383.

Senator Cravens called up Senate Bill No. 383 for second reading, entitled:

A bill for an act concerning construction or improvement of free gravel, stone or macadamized roads.

Which was read a second time by title and ordered engrossed.

Senator Metzger, chairman of the Committee on Cities and Towns, submitted the following report:

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 520, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House without recommendation.

METZGER,

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Senate Bill No.

399 entitled "A bill for an act to repeal the primary election law," has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Dobyns, Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

Motion submitted that House Bill No. 548 be made a special order for 3:30 o'clock p. m.

Which motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills must be read on three separate days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 410 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, read third time by sections, and placed upon its passage.

STRODE, KLINE,

Senators.

Which motion prevailed.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bracken, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Elsner, Furnas, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kline, Laney, McCray, McCullough, Mckinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Signs, Smith, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 34.

None voting in the negative.

Senator Kline called up Senate Bill No. 410 for second reading, entitled:

A bill for an act legalizing all acts, orders, and proceedings of board of commissioners of any county, etc., which was read a second time by title and considered engrossed, and ordered passed to the third reading.

Senator Douglass submitted the following amendment to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 410 adding another section after section 1 to be numbered section 2, and following section to be numbered consecutively.

Section 2. This act shall not affect pending litigation.

Douglass, Senator.

Which report was carried.

Engrossed Senate Bill No. 410 was called up for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act legalizing all acts, orders and proceedings of the board of commissioners of any county in this State or the joint board of commissioners of any adjoining counties relative to the establishment of county line roads and any and all bonds issued pursuant to any such acts, orders and proceedings in certain cases therein specified.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass as amended?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bracken, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Elsner, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kline, Laney, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Signs, Smith, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 36.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 410 and to transmit the same to that body for further action

Senator English moved that when the Senate adjourns it adjourns to meet at 3:30 p. m. Tuesday afternoon, July 20th, 1920.

Which motion prevailed.

Senator Elsner moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON.

July 20, 1920.

The Senate convened at 3:30 o'clock p. m., Tuesday, July 20, 1920, with Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Roll call for a quorum.

Quorum present.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed House Joint Resolution No. 1 and the same is herewith transmitted to the Senate for further action.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed Bills Nos. 545, 515, 518, 574, 517, 541, 516, 580, 540 and 525 and the same are herewith transmitted to the Senate for further action.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed House Bills Nos. 547, 526, 563, 553 and 542 and the same are herewith transmitted to the Senate for further action.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed Senate Bills Nos. 374 and 401 and the same are herewith returned to the Senate.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

The Chair handed down Senate Bills Nos. 401 and 374 to be enrolled.

Senator Cravens called up Engrossed House Bill No. 548, which had been made a special order for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 5 of an act entitled "An act touching common carriers over railroads in this State and matters connected therewith," approved March 11, 1907, and declaring an emergency.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that Engrossed House Bill No. 548 be recommitted to a committee of one, the Senator from Marion, English, with specific instructions to amend by striking out of said bill the words "of the" where they first appear in line 25, section 1, of said bill, reference being to the last printed copy of said bill.

CRAVENS, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 548 begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

ENGLISH, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move that Engrossed House Bill No. 548 be recommitted to a committee of one, the Senator from Marion, with specific instructions to amend by inserting in line 24, section 24, after the word "Indiana" the following

words: "For the use of such building or institutions." Reference being to the last printed copy of said bill.

CRAVENS, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 548, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

ENGLISH, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that Engrossed House Bill No. 548 be recommitted to a committee of one, Senator McKinley, with specific instructions to amend by striking out in line 18 the words "are owned or operated by the State" and the comma (,), also the word "or." Reference being had to the printed bill.

Wolfson, Senator.

Which motion was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 548, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

MCKINLEY, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

• SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that Engrossed House Bill No. 548 be recommitted to a committee of one, Senator English, with specific instructions to amend by striking out the words "capacity of such mines," from line 24 of the printed bill, and inserting in lieu thereof the words "of the cars necessary to fill the daily order contracted by such mine with the State of Indiana." Reference being made to the printed bill.

NEGLEY, Senator.

Which motion was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 548, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

English, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that Engrossed House Bill No. 548 be recommitted to a committee

of one, Senator McKinley, with specific instructions to amend by Inserting after the words "mines" and before the word "up," section 5, line 23 of the printed bill the following: "for delivery only of coal within the State of Indiana."

STRODE, Senator.

Which motion was carried.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 548, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

MCKINLEY, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move that House Bill No. 548 be committed to a committee of one, Senator English, with specific instructions to amend the same by adding after section 1 a semi-colon (;) instead of the period (.) and the following words: "Provided, That the reconsignment of shipments of coal shall be unlawful unless authorized by the Public Service Commission of Indiana."

RATTS, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 548, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

English, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

The question being, Shall Engrossed House Bill No. 548 pass as amended?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Bracken, Brown, Decker, Douglass, Dorrell, Dobyns, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Wolfson. Total 38.

Cravens voting in the negative. Total 1.

So the bill passed as amended.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was notified to inform the House of the passage of Engrossed House Bill No. 548 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 547 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend an act concerning taxation, approved March 11, 1919.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Fees and Salaries.

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 574 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend "An act concerning soldiers and sailors, their widows and orphans," approved March 15, 1919.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Military Affairs.

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 525 entitled:

A bill for an act concerning construction, repair, maintenance and preservation of certain public highways, etc.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Roads.

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 526 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 81 of an act entitled "An act concerning municipal corporations, etc."

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Affairs of City of Indianapolis.

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 516 entitled:

A bill for an act to regulate the hours of duty of the officers and members of the fire department in cities having a population of not less than fifteen thousand (15,000) according to the last preceding United States census, providing for the payment of said officers and members.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 545, entitled "A bill for an act concerning drainage."

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Swamp Lands and Drains.

The Chair handed down House Joint Resolution No. 1 entitled:

Joint resolution relative to fees and salaries of county officers.

Which resolution was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Judiciary "B."

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 540 entitled:

A bill for an act requiring wholesale dealers to sell articles, supplies, materials and commodities regularly dealt in by them to co-operative companies on request and the tender of money therefore, and prohibiting such dealers from charging such co-operative companies more for such articles than other retail dealers.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Judiciary "A."

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 580 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 161 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, etc."

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Fees and Salaries.

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 542 entitled:

A bill for an act legalizing proceedings had and taken in the establishment of county hospitals, etc.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Judiciary "A."

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 563 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend sections seven (7) and eight (8) of an act entitled "An act relating to the establishment and maintenance of county hospitals for the care of persons afflicted with tuberculosis, providing for the maintenance thereof and matters properly connected therewith," approved March 10th, 1913.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on County and Township Business.

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 515 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled 'An act authorizing school townships and corresponding civil townships to boxwow money and issue bonds to purchase school grounds and erect schoolhouses in certain cases': law without the signature of the governor (1917)," approved March 3, 1919.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Judiciary "B."

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 553 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend an act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to classify and regulate the maximum wages of teachers in the public schools," approved March 2, 1907, March 1, 1911, February 28, 1913, March 15, 1919.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Education.

HOUSE BILL No. 518.

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 518 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled 'An act concerning the department of public parks in cities of the first and second classes, etc.'"

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Cities and Towns.

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 541 entitled:

A bill for an act concerning the salaries and compensations of the clerical assistants of the county auditor of certain counties.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Fees and Salaries.

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 517, entitled:

A bill for an act concerning National Encampments of the Grand Army of the Republic and empowering cities of the first class, etc.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Affairs of City of Indianapolis.

The Lieutenant Governor announced he had signed Senate Bills Nos. 406, 405, 361 and 393.

On motion of Senator Hogston the Senate adjourned until 10 o'clock a. m. Wednesday, July 21, 1920.

EDGAR D. BUSH, President of the Senate.

WILLIAM M. LOUDEN,

Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

WEDNESDAY MORNING.

July 21, 1920.

The Senate convened at 10 o'clock a.m. July 21, 1920, with Lieutenant-Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Dr. Brown, rector of St. Paul's Church of Indianapolis.

Roll call for quorum.

Quorum present.

Senator Southworth, chairman of the Committee on County and Township Business, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on County and Township Business, to which was referred House Bill No. 563, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

SOUTHWORTH,

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 403, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate without recommendation.

KLINE,

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 541, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

SMITH,

Chairman.

SELF.

GRANT.

HEPLER.

TAGUE.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Smith, chairman of Committee on Fees and Salaries, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 547 (five hundred and forty-seven) has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

SMITH,

Chairman.

SELF.

GBANT.

HEPLER.

TAGUE.

Which report was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Swamp Lands and Drains, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 545, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Smith,

Chairman.

Bowers.

Brown.

TAGUE.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator McCray, chairman of the Committee on the Affairs of the City of Indianapolis, submits the following report:

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Affairs of the City of Indianapolis, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 517, has had the same under considera-

tion and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with recommendation that said bill do pass.

> McCray, Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Affairs of the City of Indianapolis, to which was referred House Bill No. 526, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

McCray, Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 574, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report same back to the Senate with recommendation that said bill do pass.

TAGUE.

Chairman.

English.
METZGER.
MCCULLOUGH.

Which report was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Roads, to which was referred House Bill No. 525, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Dobyns,

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Brown submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 597, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate without recommendation.

Brown.

SELF.

MCCRAY.

DOBYNS. FURNAS.

Which report was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 580, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate without recommendation.

SMITH.

Chairman.

SELF. HEPLER. ELSNER.

GRANT.
TAGUE.

Which report was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Judiciary "B," to which was referred House Bill No. 515, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Ratts,

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 518, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with recommendation that said bill do pass.

METZGER,

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Citles and Towns, to which was referred House Bill No. 506, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate without recommendation.

METZGER.

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Beardsley offered the following resolution:

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 13.

Whereas, An extremely serious coal situation confronts the State of Indiana and the entire nation, in that the coal supply available to the public is inadequate and insufficient, and the prices for which the available coal is offered to consumers are exorbitant and materially contribute to raising to still higher levels the already high cost of living, and

Whereas, Unless effective measures are immediately adopted to meet the existing condition, it is certain that a coal crisis will be produced that will disastrously affect industry and the welfare of the country, and will inevitably lead to general industrial and social unrest, and

Whereas, The principal factor affecting the coal supply is the nationwide lack of adequate transportation facilities, and

Whereas, The natural deposits of coal, which are located in a few states only, must supply the needs of the whole nation, and must be so mined and distributed so as to maintain national stability, and

Whereas, One state, while it may assert jnrisdiction over the movement and selling price of coal within its own boundaries, is legally unable to assume original jurisdiction over coal shipped into it from other states, and is therefore unable to prevent profiteering on such coal, and

Whereas, The General Assembly of the State of Indiana fully recognizes the seriousness of the pending crisis and believes that the dangers confronting the nation with the approach of winter are more serious than at any other time in the history of the nation.

Therefore, be it resolved by the Senate of the State of Indiana, the House of Representatives concurring, That it is the sense of the General Assembly of Indiana that the President of the United States should take such steps as may be necessary to reinstate for the period of the coming winter Federal control of all prices for coal and of the distribution of all such coal throughout the country.

That the President of the United States should take such steps as may be necessary to reinstitute, through such Federal direction, the zoning of the country so that the distances for hauling coal will be reduced and thus greatly relieve the inabilities of the railroads to meet the transportation demands.

That it is the sense of the General Assembly that the situation is so critical that said Federal control and zoning of the country should be instituted, if possible, in the month of August, 1920.

Be it further resolved, That a certified copy of this resolution be presented to the President of the United States by a committee representing this General Assembly, composed of one member of the Senate and one member of the House.

That certified copies also be presented by said committee to each member of Congress from the State of Indiana.

BEARDSLEY, Senator.

Senator English offered the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move to postpone consideration of Concurrent Resolution No. 13 until March 4th, 1921.

ENGLISH.

Senator Beardsley called for the yeas and nays on the motion of Mr. English.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Bainum, Brown, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Kiper, Kline, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Self, Smith, Southworth, Tague, Wolfson. Total 18.

Those voting in the negative were:

Arnold, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Duffey, Elsner, Hepler, Humphreys, James, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Strode. Total 21.

So the motion was lost.

The question being upon concurrence in the resolution.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duffey, Elsner, Hepler, Humphreys, James, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Southworth, Strode. Total 26.

Those voting in the negative were:

Brown, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Kiper, Kline, McKinley, Masters, Metzger, Ratts, Self, Smith, Tague, Wolfson. Total 15.

So the resolution was concurred in.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed Senate Bills Nos. 375 and 397 and the same are herewith returned to the Senate.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed House Bills Nos. 508 and 524 and the same are herewith transmitted to the Senate for further action.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

The Chair handed down Senate Bills Nos. 397 and 375 for enrollment.

On motion of Senator Wolfson, the Senate adjourned until 2 o'clock p. m. Wednesday, July 21st, 1920.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

July 21, 1920.

The Senate convened at 2 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, July 21st, 1920, with Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Roll call for a quorum.

Quorum present.

On motions, Senators Kolsem and Erskine, on account of illness, are excused from attending this Special Session.

Which motion prevailed.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed House Bills Nos. 573 and 581 and the same are herewith transmitted to the Senate for further action.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

The Chair announced that he had signed Senate Enrolled Bills Nos. 375 and 397.

House Bill No. 509 being a special order of business.

Senator Ratts offered the following motion:

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move to amend Engrossed House Bill No. 509 by striking out the words "principal or agent" in line 3 of section 1 of the bill as printed, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "issuer."

RATTS, Senator.

Which motion was concurred in.

Senator Ratts offered the following motion:

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move to amend Engrossed House Bill No. 509 by striking out the period after the word "publication" in line 34 of section 1 of the bill as printed, and adding to said section 1 in line 34 of the bill as printed the following: "in this state."

RATTS, Senator.

Which motion was concurred in.

Senator Ratts offered the following motion:

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move to amend Engrossed House Bill No. 509 by striking out in section 5 all of said section following the word "shall" in line 2 of the bill as printed and by adding in lieu thereof the words "apply only to the issues named in such certificates."

RATTS, Senator.

Which motion was concurred in.

Senator Ratts offered the following motion:

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move to amend Engrossed House Bill No. 509 by striking out, in the bill as printed, the words "a copy of any contract it proposes to make in the sale of such securities" in lines 31 and 32 of section 1, also,

By striking out, in the bill as printed, all of paragraph G of section 1, beginning at line 42 and ending at line 49, and re-naming the paragraphs following accordingly; also,

By striking out, in the bill as printed, all of lines 62 and 63 and line 64 to the word "copy" in said line 64, of paragraph 1 of section 1, and by adding after line 41, section 1, the words "together" with the amount of commission to be paid in cash or otherwise for the sale of such securities.

RATTS, Senator.

Which motion was concurred in.

Senator Ratts offered the following motion:

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move to amend Engrossed House Bill No. 509 by inserting in line 1 of section 19 of the bill as printed and following the word "intent" the word "to" and by inserting in line 2 of the said section and following the word "statement" the following: "of a material existing fact."

RATTS, Senator.

Which motion was concurred in.

Senator Wolfson offered the following motion:

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move to amend section 21 by adding after the word "Indiana" in line 3 "or having in excess of seventy-five per cent of its assets situated within the State of Indiana."

Wolfson, Senator.

Which motion was concurred in.

Senator Ratts offered the following motion:

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move to amend House Bill No. 509 by striking out all after the word "not" in line 3 and lines 4, 5, 6 and 7 in section 15 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

A securities clerk and two additional deputies, or clerks, as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this act. The salary and compensation of such security clerk shall not exceed \$3,000.00, and the salary and compensation of the first assistant such security clerk, shall not exceed \$1,800.00, and the salary of the second assistant security clerk shall not exceed \$1,500.00 per annum.

RATTS, Senator.

Which motion was concurred in.

Senator Ratts offered the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move to amend Engrossed House Bill No. 509 by adding to section 3 of the printed bill the following:

"Provided, That the Secretary of State, Treasurer of the State and the Attorney-General of the State of Indiana, shall constitute a commission and shall examine into and pass upon the moral and business qualifications of all applicants, together with the methods and character of the business to be done by such applicant and to fix the commission to be paid for the sale of the stock or securities of such applicant and no license or certificate shall be issued by the Secretary of State until a majority of said commission shall approve the issuance of the same."

RATTS, Senator.

Which motion was concurred in.

Senator Ratts offered the following motion:

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move to amend House Bill No. 509 by adding a new section to be numbered section twenty and one-half (201/2) to read as follows:

Section 201/2. If the statement containing information as to stock or securities as provided for in section 1 of this act shall disclose that any such stock or securities shall have been or shall be intended to be issued for any patent right, copyright, trade-mark, process or good will, or for promotion fees or expenses, or for other intangible assets, the amount and nature thereof, shall be fully set forth, and securities issued in payment of such patent right, copyright, trade mark, process or good will, shall be delivered in escrow to the Secretary of State under an escrow agreement that the owners of such stock or securities shall not be entitled to withdraw such stock or securities from escrow until all other stockholders who have paid for their stock or securities in cash shall have been paid not less than five per cent (5%) dividend, shown to the satisfaction of said Secretary of State to have been actually earned on the investment of any common stock, so held.

RATTS, Senator.

Which motion was concurred in.

Senator Ratts offered the following motion:

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move to amend Engrossed House Bill No. 509 by adding a new section to said bill numbered section 9-A immediately following section 9 of the bill as printed, which new section will read as follows:

"Section 9-A. Persons, firms, co-partnerships, and corporations authorized under the laws of the state, to deal in securities, and desiring to offer securities for issuers other than themselves, for sale to the public in the State of Indiana, shall file application with the Secretary of State to be issued a dealer's license and such license shall be issued by the Secretary

of State upon the payment to him of a fee of fifty (\$50) dollars and such license shall remain in full force and effect until revoked for cause after a full hearing had upon petition of the Attorney-General filed in the Circuit or Superior Court of the county where the principal office of such dealer is located. Each salesman employed by a dealer shall be issued a license as a salesman for such dealer in the sale of securities at the written request of such dealer and the payment to the Secretary of State of a fee of one (\$1) dollar, which license shall continue in force until the cancellation of such is requested in writing by such dealer.

RATTS, Senator.

Which motion was concurred in.

Senator Ratts offered the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move to amend House Bill No. 509 by inserting after the words "association" and before the word "or" in section 10, line 11, the word "Society." Reference being had to the printed bill.

RATTS, Senator.

Which motion was concurred in.

Senator Ratts offered the following motion:

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move to amend Engrossed House Bill No. 509 by striking out the period (.) following the word "state" in line 18, section 10 of the printed bill and adding to such paragraph following the word "state" the words "where the entire mortgage together with all the bonds and notes based thereon are sold or offered for sale to a single purchaser of a single sale."

RATTS, Senator.

Which motion was concurred in.

The Lieutenant-Governor ordered House Bill No. 509 passed to third reading and ordered the bill with amendments printed.

Senator Munton introduced Senate Bill No. 413 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend an act entitled "An act concerning drainage," approved March 11, 1907, by creating and adding thereto a new section to be numbered section 3, to repeal and supersede original section 3 of said act and all acts amendatory of said original section 3.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Swamp Lands and Drains.

SENATE MOTION.

Senator Dobyns offered the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended, and that House Bill No. 511 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, third time by sections, and placed upon its passage.

Dobyns, Senator.

The question being on the suspension of the rules.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Wolfson. Total 34.

None voting in the negative.

So the motion prevailed.

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 580 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 161 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, etc.," and on motion of Senator Wolfson was referred to Committee on Affairs of Indianapolis.

Which motion prevailed.

Engrossed House Bill No. 511 was called up for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend sections one (1), three (3), five (5), seven teen (17), twenty-two (22), twenty-three (23), etc., of an act entitled "An act for the establishment, opening, widening, etc., of highways, and bridges, etc."

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage, as amended.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, English, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Wolfson. Total 35.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed House Bill No. 511 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT HOUSE BILL No. 536.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee to whom Engrossed House Bill No. 536 was referred for conference with the House Committee, begs leave to report that they met the conference committee of the House and in conference entered into the hereto attached agreements.

Your committee now reports this agreement and recommends that the Senate concur in the agreement of the conferees.

McKinley, McConaha, Laney,

Conferees.

HOUSE BILL No. 536.

The undersigned conferees on Engrossed House Bill No. 536 agree as follows:

- 1. That Senate Amendment No. 1 be not concurred in and that the appropriation in lines 15 and 16 of section 4 be retained as in the original House bill.
- 2. That Senate Amendment No. 2 be concurred in and that said amenument reads as follows: By inserting the following item in section 4 after line 18 as in printed bill, "For the executive department, the sum or two thousand two hundred and fifty dollars (\$2,250.00) to pay a claim of the Borderland Coal Sales Company against the Northern Hospital for the Insane, on the basis of a settlement approved by the Attorney-General."
- 3. That Senate Amendment No. 3 be not concurred in and that the appropriation in lines 19 and 20, section 4, be retained as in the original House bill.
- 4. That Senate Amendment No. 4 be not concurred in and that the appropriation in lines 43 and 44 of section 4 be made to read "the sum of seventy thousand dollars (\$70,000.00)."
- 5. That Senate Amendment No. 5 be concurred in and that said amendment reads as follows: By inserting after the word "dollars" in line fifty-eight (58), section four (4), the following: "For turbine engine, the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000); for one vacuum pump, two hundred fifty dollars (\$250); for one pump for deep well, five hundred dollars (\$500); for repairs on engine and boiler house, two thousand dollars (\$2,000); for repairs on cottages, residences and ward buildings, three thousand dollars (\$3,000)." Reference being made to the printed bill.
- 6. That Senate Amendment No. 6 be concurred in and that said amendment read as follows: By striking out in line 65 in section four (4) the words "ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00)" and by inserting in lieu thereof the words "fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000.00), and for repair fund, the sum of forty-two hundred dollars." Reference being had to the printed bill.
- 7. That Senate Amendment No. 7 be not concurred in and that in line 48, section 4 of the printed bill the words "twenty-five (25)" be striken out and in lieu thereof the words "twenty-four (24)." Also by changing the period to a comma at the end of the line fifty-six (56), in section 4, and adding the words as follows: "the sum of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00) for hospital equipment, clothing, repairs and supplies and necessary improvements to property." Reference being made to the printed bill.
- 8. That Senate Amendment No. 8 be concurred in and that said amendment reads as follows: By inserting in section 4 after comma (,) in line 127 after the word "cents" the following: "Together with twelve hundred dollars for the year 1920," Reference being made to the printed bill,

- 9. That Senate amendment No. 9 be not concurred in and that section 4a be added as follows:
- Sec. 4a. "For the Industrial Board of Indiana, salaries, office supplies and other expenses, ten thousand dollars (\$10,000)." Reference being made to the printed bill.
- 10. That Senate Amendment No. 10 be not concurred in and that section 4b be added as follows:
- Sec. 4b. For the State Library: For additional salaries, and services for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1920, the sum of eleven hundred dollars, to be apportioned among the office department, catalog department, reference department and Indiana history and archives department by the State Librarian, with the approval of the State Library Board."
- 11. That Senate Amendment No. 11 be not concurred in and that there be inserted on page 6 immediately following line 115, section 4, a paragraph to read as follows: "For the Department of Food and Drugs and Water Laboratory, the sum of five thousand dollars to be available for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 1920, and ending September 30, 1921."
- 12. That Senate Amendment No. 12 be not concurred in and that a new paragraph be added to section 4 to be numbered 4c.
- Sec. 4c. "For the Board of Pardons: Salary of clerk, thirty dollars (\$30.00) additional for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1920, and one hundred twenty dollars (\$120) additional for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1921."
 - 13. That Senate Amendment No. 13 be not concurred in.
- 14. That Senate Amendment No. 14 be not concurred in and that section 4d be added as follows: "For the Department of Conservation: The sum of twelve hundred ninety-one dollars, representing fees collected by the state gas inspectors for superintending and supervising the plugging of gas wells, and already turned into the State Treasury, is hereby appropriated to the Department of Conservation to be apportioned as additional compensation among such gas inspectors for their services in inspecting and plugging such gas wells. That hereafter the fee for superintending and supervising the plugging of gas wells shall be ten dollars (\$10), which fee shall be collected, as now provided by law, and disposed of as follows: \$8.00 for the services of inspection and plugging of wells and \$2.00 to remain in revolving fund."
- 15. That Senate Amendment No. 15 be concurred in, and that said amendment reads as follows: By omitting all the words in line 5, section 8, and the words "seven cents" in line 6 and inserting the words "thirty-nine thousand one hundred seventy-one dollars and fifty-seven cents."
- 16. That Senate Amendment No. 16 be concurred in and be numbered section 4e as follows: "For the State Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument, the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00) as additional maintenance fund; for the purpose and installment of 48 candelabra lamps, two thousand dollars (\$2,000); for repairs to the lightning rod system, three hundred dollars (\$300), and for the purchase of electric scrubbing machine, one hundred sixty dollars (\$160)."
- 17. That in section 4, line 8, the word "three" be striken out and the word "five" be inserted in lieu thereof, also in line 9 of said section that the word "five" be striken out and the word "three" be inserted in lieu thereof.

- 18. That the paragraph in section 4 covering the appropriation for the State Board of Health be made to read as follows: "For the maintenance and expenses of the Bureau of Venereal Diseases, sixteen thousand dollars (\$16,000.00), to be available July 1st, 1920, and to continue available until September 30, 1921; and to be paid out by certificates issued by the State Board of Health and attested by the Secretary, and on presentation of said certificates the Auditor of State shall draw his warrant for the amount certified, on the State Treasurer, who shall pay the same from the appropriation herewith granted."
- 19. That a new section to be known as section 10½ be added to read as follows: "The State Board of Finance is hereby authorized to invest the three hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$350,000) known as the Purdue Trust Fund or any part of the same in bonds of the United States Government and are authorized to purchase the same from time to time on the market, in order to keep said fund invested."
- 20. That the title of said bill shall be amended as follows: By inserting in the last line of said title before the words "and declaring" the following: "authorizing the State Board of Finance to invest certain funds in United States bonds; creating a rotary fund for the Department of Conservation; appropriating a fund to the executive department to settle compromise claims of Borderland Coal Sales Company."

McKinley,
McConaha,
Laney,
Senate Conferees.
Miltenberger,
Mendenhall,
Benz,
House Conferees.

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 581 for first reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 138 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation—repealing all laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency," approved March 11, 1919.

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to the Committee on Affairs of the City of Indianapolis.

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 573 for first reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to repeal an act of the General Assembly, approved March 8, 1915, and all amendments thereto, entitled "An act to provide for the holding of primary elections and conventions by political parties, for the nomination of candidates thereby for the organization of such parties, and prescribing penalties for violations of the provisions thereof,"

Which bill was read a first time and referred to the Committee on Rights and Privileges.

Senator Metzger called up Engrossed House Bill No. 520 for second reading, entitled;

A bill for an act providing for establishment of office of city treasurer in third class cities.

Which bill was read a second time by title.

Senator Bainum called up for second reading Senate Bill No. 402 entitled:

A bill for an act fixing the per diem and mileage of county surveyors, civil engineers, deputy surveyors, etc.

Which bill was read a second time as amended and passed to engrossment.

Senator Wolfson moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

EDGAR D. BUSH,
President of the Senate.

W. M. LOUDEN,

Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

THURSDAY MORNING.

July 22, 1920.

The Senate convened at 10 o'clock a. m. Thursday, July 22, 1920, with Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Major Earl F. Hitz of the Volunteers of America. Roll call for quorum.

A quorum present.

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR.

MR. PRESIDENT AND GENTLEMEN OF THE SENATE:

I have this day approved Senate Bills Nos. 405, 406, 373, 391, 401, 393, 375, 361, 390 and 374 and have caused the same to be filed with the Secretary of the State.

Very truly yours,

J. P. GOODRICH, Governor of Indiana.

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 524 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled 'An act regulating issuance of license to marry, etc.'"

Which bill was read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 508 for first reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to provide for the publication of all legal notices in daily or semi-weekly newspapers.

Which bill was read a first time by title, and referred to Committee on Printing.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Affairs of City of Indianapolis, to which was referred Engrossed Bill No. 580, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with recommendation that said bill do pass.

MCCRAY,

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Affairs of City of Indianapolis, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 581, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

McCray,

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Judiciary "A," to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 542, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with recommendation that said bill do pass.

McKINLEY.

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended, and that House Bill No. 517 be read the second time by title and considered engrossed, read third time by sections, and placed upon its passage.

Wolfson, Senator.

Roll was called on the suspension of the rules.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Wolfson. Total 36.

None voting in the negative.

Engrossed House Bill No. 517 was handed down for second reading, entitled:

A bill for an act concerning National Encampments of the Grand Army of the Republic and empowering cities of the first class, etc.

Which bill was read a second time by title and considered engrossed.

Engrossed House Bill No. 517 was called up for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act concerning National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic and empowering cities of the first class, etc.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the Engrossed House Bill No. 517 pass? The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Ratts, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 36.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed House Bill No. 517 and to transmit the same to that body for further consideration.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed House Bills Nos. 530 and 569 and the same are herewith transmitted to the Senate for further action.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 569. Referred to Committee of the Whole. Ordered printed.

Senator Bowers offered the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three consecutive days be suspended and that Engrossed House Bill No. 563 be read a second time by title, considered engrossed, read third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Bainum, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Douglass, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 36.

None voting in the negative.

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move to amend Engrossed House Bill No. 563 by referring to a committee of one, Senator Bowers, with specific instructions to amend as follows: By inserting in line 1 of section 1 before the word "that" the following words: "be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana."

McKinley, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 563, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

Bowers, Senator.

Engrossed House Bill No. 563 was called up for second reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend sections 7 and 8 of an act entitled "An act relating to the establishment and maintenance of county hospitals for the care of persons afflicted with tuberculosis, etc."

Which bill was read a second time by title and considered engrossed.

Senator Bowers called up Engrossed House Bill No. 563 for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend sections 7 and 8 of an act entitled "An act relating to the establishment and maintenance of county hospitals for the care of persons afflicted with tuberculosis, providing for the maintenance thereof and matters property connected therewith," approved March 10th, 1913.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill as amended pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 37.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary of the Senate was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed House Bill No. 563 and transmit the same to that body for further action.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended and that Engrossed House Bill No. 574 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

TAGUE, Senator.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Cravens, Decker. Dobyns, Dorrell, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 39.

None voting in the negative.

So the motion prevailed.

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 574 for second reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend "An act concerning soldiers and sailors, their wives and orphans," approved March 15th, 1917.

Senator Negley submitted the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that Engrossed House Bill No. 574 be recommitted to a committee of one, Senator English, with specific instructions to amend the same as follows: Strike out the word "or" from line 4 of the bill as printed and insert in lieu thereof the word "and." Strike out the word "or" following the word "Spain" in line 5 of the printed bill as printed and insert in lieu thereof the word "and;" strike out the word "or" in the same line after the word "islands," and insert in lieu thereof the word "and."

Which motion was concurred in.

Senator English submitted the following report:

Mr. President:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 574, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

ENGLISH, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Negley submitted the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that Engrossed House Bill No. 574 be recommitted to a committee of one, Senator English, with specific instructions to amend the same by inserting in line 6 of section 1 of the bill as printed, and after the word "States" and its comma (,) the following: "who are residents of the State of Indiana."

NEGLEY.

Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

Senator English submitted the following report:

Mr. President:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 574, begs leave to report that the same has been amended as directed.

English, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

Which bill as amended was read a second time by title and considered engrossed.

Senator Tague called up Engrossed House Bill No. 574 for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend an act concerning soldiers and sailors, their widows and orphans, approved March 15, 1919.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the Engrossed House Bill No. 574 as amended pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 38.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed House Bill No. 574 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

Senator Metzger called up Engrossed House Bill No. 520 for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act providing for establishment of office of city treasurer in third class cities.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the Engrossed House Bill No. 520 pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson, Total 37.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed House Bill No. 520 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Swamp Lands and Drains, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 413, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the senate with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

SMITH,

Chairman.

Brown, Arnold. Bowers.

Which report was concurred in.

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President: '

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 413 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, read third time by sections, and placed upon its passage.

Munton, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the suspension of the rules.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 40.

None voting in the negative.

So the motion prevailed.

Senator Munton called up for second reading Senate Bill No. 413, which bill was read a second time by title and ordered engrossed, read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kline, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 37.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was notified to inform the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 413 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended and that Engrossed House Bill No. 542 be read a second time by title, considered engrossed, third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

Hogston, Senator.

The question being on suspension of the rules.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 38.

None voting in the negative.

So the motion prevailed.

Senator Hogston called up Engrossed House Bill No. 542 for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act legalizing proceedings had and taken in the establishment of county hospitals, etc.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting In the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 34.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed House Bill No. 542 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

Senator Meeker submitted the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended and that Engrossed House Bill No. 515 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

MEEKER, Senator.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Bowers, Bracken, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Smith, Southworth, Tague, Wolfson. Total 33.

Those voting in the negative were:

Senator Douglass. Total 1.

So the motion prevailed.

Engrossed House Bill No. 515 was now called up for second reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled 'An act authorizing school townships and corresponding civil townships, etc.'"

Which bill was read a second time by title and considered engrossed.

Senator Meeker called up Engrossed House Bill No. 515 for third reading, entitled:

An act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act authorizing school townships and corresponding civil townships to borrow money and issue bonds to purchase school grounds and erect school houses in certain cases," law without the signature of the Governor (1917), approved March 3, 1919.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall Engrossed House Bill No. 515 pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Cravens, Dobyns, Dorrell, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston,

Humphreys, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 34.

Senator Douglass voting in the negative. Total 1.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed House Bill No. 515 and to transmit it to that body for further action.

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 530 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 13 of an act entitled "An act defining motor vehicles, etc."

Read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Affairs of Indianapolis.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed House Bill No. 558, and transmit the same to the Senate for further action.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 558 entitled:

A bill for an act providing for an Indiana World War Memorial to be located at Indianapolis, creating a board of trustees, defining its powers and duties, providing for dedication of real estate and interests therein, and providing for limiting the use and for the control and regulation of real estate not acquired, the levying of state taxes and the appropriation of money for use by said board of trustees, etc.

Read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Military Affairs.

Ordered printed.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Printing, to which was referred Engrossed House .

Bill No. 508, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with recommendation that said bill do pass.

STRODE.

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Nejdl submitted the following motion:

Mr. President:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three

separate days be suspended, and that Engrossed House Bill No. 545 be read a second time, considered engrossed, read third time by sections, and placed upon its passage.

NEJDL, Senator.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Bowers, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague. Total 37.

None voting in the negative.

So the motion prevailed.

Senator Nejdl called up Engrossed House Bill No. 545 for second reading, entitled:

A bill for an act concerning drainage.

Which bill was read a second time by title and considered engrossed and passed to third reading.

Engrossed House Bill No. 545 was called up for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act concerning drainage.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall Engrossed House Bill No. 545 pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Nejdl, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 35.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House that the Senate had passed Engrossed House Bill No. 545 and transmit the same to that body for further action.

On motion of Senator Beardsley, Senate adjourned until 2 o'clock p. m.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

July 22, 1920.

The Senate convened at 2 o'clock p. m. Thursday, July 22, 1920, with Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Lieutenant Governor Bush handed down a communication from Senator Paul Maier, who asked to be excused from attending further sessions of the Senate.

Which permission was granted by unanimous consent of the Senate.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Judiciary "A," to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 540, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate without recommendation.

McKinley,

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Hogston called up Engrossed House Bill No. 541 entitled:

A bill for an act concerning the salaries and compensation of the clerical assistants of the county auditor of certain counties.

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move to amend Engrossed House Bill No. 541 by striking out the word "allow" in line 4, section 1, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "appropriate."

STRODE, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended, and that Engrossed House Bill No. 541 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, read third time by sections, and placed upon its passage.

Hogston, Senator.

The question being on the suspension of the rules.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, McCullough, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 36.

None voting in the negative.

So the motion prevailed.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative:

Alldredge, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 36.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed House Bill No. 541 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

Senator Bowers offered the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended and that House Bill No. 518 be read a second time by title, considered engrossed, and placed upon its passage.

Bowers, Senator.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Ratts, Self, Smith, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 34.

None voting in the negative.

So the motion prevailed.

Senator Bowers called up Engrossed House Bill No. 518 for second reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled 'An act concerning the department of public parks in cities of the first and second classes, etc.'"

Which bill was read a second time by title, and considered engrossed.

Engrossed House Bill No. 518 was called up for third reading entitled:

A bill for an act entitled "An act to amend section 6 of an act entitled 'An act concerning the department of public parks in cities of the first and second classes, etc.'"

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 37.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed House Bill No. 518 and transmit the same to that body for further action.

SENATE RESOLUTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that a vote of thanks be extended by the Senate to Major Earl F. Hitz and his band representing the Volunteers of America for the excellent music rendered at the opening of this session, this 22nd day of July, 1920, and the Secretary of the Senate transmit a copy of this motion to Major Earl F. Hitz.

McCray, Hogston,

Senators.

Which resolution prevailed.

Senator Bainum offered the following motion:

Mr. President:

I move that the title of Senate Bill No. 402 be amended to read as follows:

A bill for an act concerning the payment of the per diem and compensation for preliminary engineering services performed in the construction or repair of highways.

BAINUM, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

Senator Bainum called up Engrossed Senate Bill No. 402 for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act fixing the per diem and mileage of county surveyors, civil engineers, deputy surveyors, etc.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas,

Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McKinley, McConaha, McCray, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 38.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Senate Bill No. 402 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

Senator Smith called up Engrossed House Bill No. 547 for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend "An act concerning taxation," approved March 11, 1919.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that Engrossed House bill No. 547 be amended as follows:

By striking out of line 9, section 1, the following words: "excepting the county assessor"; by inserting in line 129 of said section 1 after the word "the" and before the word "auditor" the words "county assessor"; by inserting in line 132 of said section 1 after the words "such" the words "county assessor"; by striking out of line 132 of section 1 the word "for" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "and"; by inserting in line 134, said section 1, after the word "the" and before the word "auditor" the words "county assessor."

Reference being had to the printed bill.

McKinley, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended, and that Engrossed House Bill No. 547 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, read third time by sections, and placed upon its passage.

SMITH, Senator.

The question being on the suspension of the rules.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Bowers, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 35.

None voting in the negative.

So the motion prevailed.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCullough, McKinley, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 36.

Those voting in the negative were:

Cravens, Elsner, Total 2.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed House Bill No. 547 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

Senator Ratts called up Engrossed House Bill No. 509 for second reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to prevent fraud in sale and disposition of stocks, bonds and other securities and real estate in certain cases in the State of Indiana.

Which bill was read a second time by title and considered engrossed.

Senator McKinley offered the following motion:

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move that Engrossed House Bill No. 509 be referred to a committee of one, Senator Duffey, with specific instructions to amend as follows: By adding at the end of line 9, section 4, the following: "this certificate relates to issue of securities of the date of" Reference being had to the printed bill.

McKinley, Senator.

Which motion was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 509, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

Duffey, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Ratts offered the following motion:

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

· I move that House Bill No. 509 be referred to a committee of one, Senator Metzger, with specific instructions to amend by striking out of line 5, section 21 the word "July" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "August" and by striking out of line 7, section 21, the word "July" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "August."

RATTS, Senator.

Which motion was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 509, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

METZGER, Senator.

Which report was concurred in..

Senator Munton offered the following motion:

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move to recommit Engrossed House Bill No. 509 to a committee of one, Senator Ratts, with specific instructions to amend by striking out the period after the figures "1920" where they occur in line 7 of section 21 and inserting in lieu thereof a colon and the following:

"Provided, however, That any corporation contemplated in this section may apply to and receive from the Secretary of State a certificate for the sale of its securities in this State by complying with the provisions of this act."

MUNTON, Senator.

Which motion was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your committee of one, to which was re-commited Engrossed House Bill No. 509 with specific instructions to amend, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as instructed.

RATTS. Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Munton offered the following motion:

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move to recommit Engrossed House Bill No. 509 to a committee of one, Senator Ratts, with specific instructions to amend by inserting after the word "certificate-holder" where it occurs in line 4 of section 8 of the printed bill a comma and the following:

"And receive from the Secretary of State a license as an agent of such certificate-holder, which license shall state therein the name of the issuer."

Also by striking out the period following the word "dealer" where it occurs in line 17 of section 9A of the printed bill and inserting in lieu thereof a comma and the following:

"And which license shall state therein the name of the issuer of the securities to be sold by such salesman."

MUNTON, Senator.

Which motion was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your committee of one, to which was recommited Engrossed House Bill No. 509 with specific instructions to amend, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as instructed.

RATTS, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Strode offered the following motion:

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that Engrossed House Bill No. 509 be recommitted to a committee of one, Senator McKinley, with specific instructions to amend by inserting after the word "imprisoned" in line 9, section 19 of the printed bill, the words "in the state prison."

STRODE, Senator.

Which motion was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 509, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

McKinley, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Ratts offered the following motion:

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move that Engrossed House Bill No. 509 be recommitted to a committee of one, Senator English, with specific instructions to amend by striking out all of section 20 after the word "voidable" in line 2 of said section, and insert in lieu thereof a period (.).

RATTS, Senator.

Which motion was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 509, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

English, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Ratts offered the following motion:

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that House Bill No. 509 be recommitted to a committee of one, Senator Beardsley, with specific instructions to amend by striking out all of line 7, section 8, after the word "agent" and all of line 8, section 8, before the word "unless" and insert in lieu thereof the words "until revoked or cancelled or."

RATTS, Senator.

Reference being had to the bill as last printed. Which motion was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 509, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

Beardsley, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Ratts called up Engrossed House Bill No. 509 for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to prevent fraud in sale and disposition of stocks, bonds and other securities and real estate in certain cases in the State of Indiana.

Which bill was read a third time and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass as amended?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphries, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 38.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed House Bill No. 509 and transmit the same to that body for further action.

Senator Tague called up House Bill 597 entitled:

A bill for an act entitled "An act to regulate the price of coal mined and sold in the State of Indiana, to authorize the seizure of coal mines and facilities by the State and providing compensation for the owners, and to investigate the high cost of food products, profiteering, hoarding and destroying of food products, etc."

Which bill was read a second time, ordered engrossed.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move to amend Engrossed House Bill No. 597 by striking out section 19 and renumbering the remaining sections.

Wolfson, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

Senator Self called up Senate Bill No. 403 for second reading, entitled:

A bill for an act authorizing school townships and corresponding civil townships where the assessed valuation of the property therein is less than one million five hundred thousand dollars to borrow money and issue bonds to purchase school grounds and to erect or complete schools in certain cases.

Which bill was read a second time and passed to engrossment.

Senator Dobyns called up Engrossed House Bill No. 525 for second reading, entitled:

A bill for an act concerning construction, repair, maintenance and preservation of certain public highways, etc.

Which bill was read a second time and passed to third reading.

Senator Ratts called up House Bill No. 506 for second reading, entitled:

A bill for an act concerning cities which have advanced to a higher class by reason of an increased population, etc.

Which bill was read a second time by title and ordered engrossed.

Senator Wolfson moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

EDGAR D. BUSH, President of the Senate.

WILLIAM M. LOUDEN,

Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

FRIDAY MORNING.

July 23, 1920.

The Senate convened at 10 o'clock a. m. July 23d, 1920, with Lieutenant-Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Reverend Oren Fifer, Pastor Central Avenue Methodist Church, Indianapolis.

Roll call for a quorum.

Quorum present.

The Chair announced that Engrossed House Bill No. 569 was withdrawn from the Committee of the Whole and referred to the Committee on Finance.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MB. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 569, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By striking out of line 151 of section 1 the words "four and one-half" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "six."

By adding a new paragraph after line 164 of section 1, which paragraph is as follows:

"Twenty-third. All bonds, notes, mortgages and other evidences of indebtedness heretofore or hereafter issued and negotiated by the Indiana State Board of Agriculture pursuant to the provisions of any statute then in force shall be exempt from taxation."

By inserting after the second comma (,) following the word "published" in line 13 of section 3 the words, "then the same shall be published in any two newspapers of general circulation, representing the two leading political parties, published in any taxing unit next adjacent thereto" and by striking out of line 13, section 3, the word "then" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "and."

By striking out of line 24 of section 3 the word "fifteen" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "fifty who are resident taxpayers."

By striking out of line 16 of section 3 the words "State Board of Tax Commissioners" and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "Judge of the Circuit Court of the County in which such taxing unit or units are situated, sitting as an arbiter."

By striking out of lines 32 and 33 of section 3 the words "State Board of Tax Commissioners" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "said Judge of the Circuit Court of the County in which such taxing unit or units are located, sitting as an aribiter."

By striking out of line 38 of section 3 the words, "State Board of Tax Commissioners" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "said Judge of the Circuit Court of the County in which such taxing unit or units are located, sitting as an arbiter."

By striking out of lines 43 and 44 of section 3 the words, "State Board of Tax Commissioners or by its official representatives" and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "said Judge of the Circuit Court of the County in which such taxing unit or units are located, sitting as an arbiter."

By striking out of lines 45 and 46 of section 3 the words, "State Board of Tax Commissioners" and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "said Judge of said Circuit Court, sitting as an arbiter."

By striking out of line 46 of section 3 the word "board" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Circuit Judge sitting as an arbiter."

By striking out of line 47 of section 3 the word "its" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "his."

By striking out of line 50, section 3, the words, "State Board of Tax Commissioners" and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "said Judge of the Circuit Court of the County in which such taxing unit or units are located, sitting as an arbiter."

By inserting after the comma (,) following the word "conclusive" in line 51, section 3, the words, "upon all taxpayers of the taxing unit or units concerned in and affected by such appeal."

By striking out of line 2, section 4, the words and figures, "After January 1, 1921," and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "From the taking effect of this act."

By striking out all of section 4 after the word "necessary" in line 5 therein and inserting in lieu thereof a comma (,) after said word "necessary" and adding the words, "as provided by law."

By inserting at the end of section 4, as amended, the following words, "The State Board of Tax Commissioners shall certify back to the respective municipalities all petitions for bond issues now pending before said board, and said municipalities may proceed with the issuance of such bonds according to law without the approval of said Board of Tax Commissioners."

By inserting after section 6 an additional section to be numbered $6\frac{1}{2}$ as follows:

"Section 6½. The Governor of the State may for good and sufficient reason remove at any time any member of said State Board of Tax Commissioners."

Reference being had to the printed bill.

And when so amended that said bill do pass.

McConaha.
Furnas.
Southworth.
Self.
Ratts.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Negley offered the following motion:

MB. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rules requiring bills to be read on three successive days be suspended, and that Engrossed House Bill No. 569 be read the second time and then read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

NEGLEY, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the suspension of the rules.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 41.

None voting in the negative.

So the motion prevailed.

Senator McConaha called up Engrossed House Bill No. 569 for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend sections 5, 197, 201 and 335, and to repeal section 198 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation—repealing all laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency," approved March 11, 1919.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 39.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed House Bill No. 569 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

Senator McCray offered the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on the Affairs of the City of Indianapolis, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 412, begs leave to report that said bill be amended by striking out of line 52, section 1, the words "six per cent (6%)," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "four and one-half per cent (4\%)"; and further by inserting in line 88 of section 1 after the period (.) following the word "issued," the words, "Provided, however, That said Board of Sanitary Commissioners shall have the right, instead of selling the said bonds in series as above provided, to sell bonds of said sanitary' districts as provided in said act to run for a period of five years from date thereof for the purposes as provided in said act, for work either heretofore or hereafter commenced. Said bonds to be sold at a rate of interest not to exceed six per cent (6%) per annum, payable semi-annually. year bonds to be exempt from taxation for any and all purposes. Said Board of Sanitary Commissioners shall have the right to sell bonds of said sanitary districts as provided in said act in series as provided in said act at four and one-half per cent $(4\frac{1}{2}\%)$ per annum, payable semi-annually, for the purposes of refunding said five-year bonds." And when so amended that said bill do pass.

> McCray, Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your Committee on City of Indianapolis, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 530, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with recommendation that said bill do pass.

McCbay,

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

SENATE MOTION.

Senator Dobyns offered the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended, and that House Bill No. 530 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, read third time by sections, and placed upon its passage.

DOBYNS, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the suspension of the rules.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Bowers, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Wolfson. Total 35.

Those voting in the negative were:

Beardsley. Total 1.

So the motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Bowers, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duffey, Elsner, English, Furnas, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, Kline, Laney, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Smith, Southworth, Tague. Total 27.

Those voting in the negative were:

Beardsley, Duncan, Hagerty, James, Kiper, McConaha, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Strode, Wolfson. Total 13.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed House Bill No. 530 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

Senator Kline, chairman of Committee on Education, called up House Bill No. 553 for second reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act to classify and regulate the maximum wage of teachers in public schools," approved March 2, 1907, March 1, 1911, February 28, 1915, March 15, 1919.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Senator Kline, chairman of Committee on Education, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Education, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 553, has had the same under consideration and begs leave fo report the same back to the Senate with recommendation that said bill be amended by striking out of line 34 all of said line after the word "teachers" and by striking out all of lines 35 and 36 and changing the colon after the word "teachers" to a period. And when so amended that said bill do pass.

DUNCAN.

Brown.

LANEY.

HUMPHREYS.

Which report was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Affairs of City of Indianapolis, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 580, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate that said bill do pass.

McCray, Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

No. 548.

I move to amend Engrossed House Bill No. 580 by striking out the word "four" in line 39 and inserting in lieu thereof the word "six."

Hogston, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

Engrossed House Bill No. 580 was read a second time, amended and ordered engrossed.

Senator English called up Engrossed House Bill No. 581 for second reading.

A bill for an act to amend section 138 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation—repealing all laws in conflict therewith and declaring an emergency," approved March 11, 1919.

Which bill was read a second time by title and passed to third reading.

The Governor reported that he had signed Engrossed House Bill

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Judiciary "B," to which was referred House Joint Resolution No. 1, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate without recommendation.

RATTS.

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

HOUSE BILL No. 508.

Senator Self called up Engrossed House Bill No. 508 for second reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to provide for the publication of all legal notices in daily, weekly or semi-weekly newspapers.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended, and that Engrossed House Bill No. 508 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, third time by sections, and placed upon its passage.

SELF, Chairman.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the suspension of the rules.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Cravens, Dorrell, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 35.

None voting the negative.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dorrell, Douglass, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Smith, Southworth, Tague, Wolfson. Total 36.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was notified to inform the House of the passage of Engrossed House Bill No. 508 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

Senator Wolfson moved that the Senate adjourn until 2 p. m. Which motion prevailed.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON.

July 23, 1920.

The Senate convened at 2 o'clock p. m. Friday, July 23, 1920, with Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Roll call for quorum.

Quorum present.

Senator Wolfson called up Engrossed House Bill No. 580 for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 161 of an act entitled "An act concerning taxation, etc."

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

Senator Strode offered the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that Engrossed House Bill No. 580 be recommitted to a committee of one, Senator Wolfson, with specific instructions to amend by striking out all of line 5, section 1, after the comma; also by striking out of line 6, section 1, the words, "county board of review"; also by striking out of line 7, section 1, the words: "and no more."

STRODE, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

Senator Wolfson submitted the following committee report:

Mr. President:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 580, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

Wolfson, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Brown offered the following motion:

Mr. President:

I move to recommit Engrossed House Bill No. 580 to a committee of one, Senator Grant, with specific instructions to amend by adding a new sentence at the end of said bill which shall read as follows: "In all counties having a population of less than two hundred thousand inhabitants according to the last preceding United States census and an assessed valuation as

shown by the last preceding assessment of three hundred and fifty million dollars of taxables or more, the county assessor shall be authorized to appoint one deputy who shall receive four dollars per day."

Brown, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

Senator Grant offered the following committee report:

Mr. President:

Your commttee of one, to which was recommitted Engrossed House Bill No. 580 with specific instructions to amend, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

GRANT, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended and that Engrossed House Bill No. 580 be read third time by sections, and placed upon its passage.

Wolfson, Senator.

The question being on the suspension of the rules.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Cravens, Dobyns, Douglass, Duffey, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Wolfson. Total 34.

Dorrell voting in the negative. Total 1.

So the motion prevailed.

The question being upon the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 35.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed House Bill No. 580 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed Senate Bills Nos. 413, 371 and 376, and the same are herewith returned to the Senate.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed Senate Bills Nos. 377, 392 and 394 with amendments for concurrence.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

The Chair handed down Senate Bill No. 394 for concurrence in House amendments entitled:

A bill for an act making an appropriation to Rhoda J. Chase. Senator McKinley moved for concurrence in House amendments. Which motion prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed House Bill No. 571 and the same is herewith transmitted to the Senate for further action.

John W. Thiel, Principal Clerk of the House.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has not concurred in Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 569 and the Speaker of the House has appointed Representative Rothrock, Mendenhall and Winesburg a conference committee to meet and confer with a like committee of the Senate on said bill and to report thereon.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

The President of the Senate appointed Senators Brown, Alldredge and Hogston as the conference committee on the part of the Senate on House Bill No. 569.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has not concurred in Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 511 and the Speaker of the House has appointed Representatives Buller, Willis of Steuben, and Gibbons a conference committee to meet and confer with a like committee of the Senate on said bill, and to report thereon.

JOHN W. THIEL,

Principal Clerk of the House.

The President of the Senate appointed Senators Nejdl, Arnold and Strode as the conference committee on the part of the Senate on House Bill No. 511.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has not concurred in Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 547 and the Speaker of the House has appointed Representatives Malott, Cann and Scott a conference committee to meet and confer with a like committee of the Senate on said bill, and to report thereon.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

The President of the Senate appointed Senators Smith, Wolfson and Douglass a conference committee on the part of the Senate to meet the conference committee on the part of the House to confer with the committee on the part of the House to consider Engrossed House Bill No. 547.

Senator McKinley called up Engrossed House Bill No. 540 for second reading, entitled:

A bill for an act requiring wholesale dealers to sell articles, supplies, materials and commodities regularly dealt in by them to co-operative companies on request and the tender of money therefor, and prohibiting such dealers from charging such co-operative companies more for such articles than other retail dealers.

Which bill was read a second time by title and passed to third reading.

The Chair handed down House Bills Nos. 545, 541 and 517 for enrollment.

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bills Nos. 520, 542, 515 and 581 for enrollment.

The Chair handed down Senate Bill No. 392 for concurrence in House amendments entitled:

A bill for an act providing for the construction and maintenance of a bridge or bridges across and over a stream or streams which form the boundary line between the State of Indiana and any adjoining state, and authorizing co-operation of any county or municipality of this State with any contiguous county or other subordinate division of any adjoining state in building and maintaining such bridge or bridges.

Which amendments were concurred in and bill was ordered enrolled.

The Chair announced that he had signed Enrolled Senate Bill No. 413.

The Chair handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 404 for enrollment.

The Chair announced that he had signed Enrolled Senate Bill No. 376.

The Chair announced that he had signed Enrolled Senate Bill No. 371.

Senator McConaha called up House Bill No. 514 and offered the following committee report:

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your committee, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 514, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows, and when so amended, do pass.

McConaha. Southworth. Furnas. Self.

By striking out all of section 2 of said bill following the comma after the word "Indiana" in line 2 of said section 2 and inserting the following; "That within ten days after the passage and taking effect of this act the State Board of Tax Commissioners shall meet in special session and reconsider and review their order dated August 23d, 1919, relating to the equalization of the aggregate assessments of the various townships of the counties of the State, and ascertain from said order, assessment and other available sources, the amount of the aggregate assessment of the various townships of the State caused by and resulting from the said order of State Board of Tax Commissioners, dated August 23d, 1919, and without delay certify the same to the auditors of the several counties of the State wherein any township has or will be affected by the horizontal raise of assessments contained in said order.

Reference being made to the printed bill.

By striking out all of section 2 of said bill after the period following the figure 2 in line 1 of said section and inserting the following in lieu thereof.

Section 2. That upon receipt of the said certified assessment, provided for by section 1 of this act, by the county auditor he shall immediately convene the county board of review to be composed of the county assessor, county auditor and county treasurer and two freeholders of opposite political parties to be appointed by the Judge of the Circuit Court and qualified as now provided by law; and for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act the Judge of the Circuit Court shall as now required by law, appoint the said two freeholders to serve on said board of review upon the taking effect of this act, and said county board of review shall proceed to review, re-assess and equalize the assessment on the property in said several townships for taxing purposes for the year 1919 and certify the same to the State Tax Board as now required by law.

Thereupon, the State Board of Tax Commissioners shall promptly proceed with the equalization of assessments as between the several counties of the State, both as to personal property and real estate, and shall make orders equalizing such assessments and promptly certify such orders to the auditor of each of the counties of the State. After such assessments and equalization of assessments have been made by said county board of

review and the State Board of Tax Commissioners, the said county board of review shall ascertain the amount of taxes, if any, which should be refunded to any taxpayer by reason of such reassessment and equalization, and cause the same to be entered on the tax duplicates and a proper order shall be issued with warrant thereon for the repayment of the same to such taxpayer.

Reference being made to the printed bill.

That section 3 of said bill be numbered as section 4, and the same be amended by striking out the word "their" in line 4 of said section and inserting instead thereof the word "its." Reference being made to the printed bill.

By inserting the following after section 2 of said bill and to be numbered section 3 thereof.

Section 3. For any extra service required to carry out the provisions of this act the auditor and treasurer of the several counties shall be entitled to receive reasonable compensation to be determined by the board of county commissioners and the several county councils shall make the necessary appropriation therefor.

Reference being made to the printed bill.

By striking out all of section 4 of said bill after the word "whenever" in the first line of said section and inserting the following in lieu thereof:

Section 5. Whenever by reason of the refund of money as provided for in section 2 of this act the revenues of any taxing units shall be materially impaired, the proper taxing officials may and are hereby authorized and empowered to increase all levies for the year 1919 other than State levies, in such unit in such percentage as will produce as nearly as may be the same amount of revenue for all local purposes as would have been produced by the original local levies.

And by renumbering said section as number 5.

Reference being made to the printed bill.

That all of section 6 of said bill be stricken out and the following inserted in lieu thereof:

Section 6. That in any county in this State where such refund as ordered by the board of review will reduce the total amount of taxes to be paid by such county to the State of Indiana, then such difference shall be appropriated by the county council and paid into that State Treasury by such county out of the general fund of such county. It is hereby made the duty of all taxing officials within the State to comply with the provisions of this act and to carry out the orders of the proper officers made in the performance of the duties and powers hereby imposed.

And said section be renumbered as section 6. Reference being made to the printed bill.

By inserting the following after section 6 of said bill:

Section 7. All assessments, levies and orders of equalization of property for taxation heretofore made by the county board of review and State Tax Board which has not been held invalid by the Supreme Court of the State of Indiana, are hereby validated and deemed effectual. The same to be a new section and numbered 7. Reference being made to the printed bill.

By inserting the following in said bill to be numbered section 8. All bonds and securities heretofore issued pursuant to and in conformity with

any existing law by any taxpaying unit to provide for the construction, maintenance, or repair of any public improvement, and which were based upon the assessment of property for taxation heretofore made for the year 1919, are, to the extent that the same, when based upon the assessment for 1919 as finally determined and fixed under the provisions of this act, are within the constitutional or statutory limitations of amount applying thereto, hereby legalized.

Reference being had to the printed bill.

By inserting the following in said bill and numbered section 9.

Section 9. This act shall be deemed as supplemental legislation and shall not be construed to repeal or modify any law now in force relative to taxation.

Reference being made to the printed bill.

By renumbering section 6 of said bill as section No. 10.

McConaha,

Chairman.

Which amendments were concurred in.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended and that House Bill No. 514 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

ENGLISH, Senator.

The question being on the suspension of rules.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Bainum, Brown, Dobyns, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hogston, James, Kiper, Kline, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Self, Smith, Southworth, Tague, Wolfson. Total 26.

Those voting in the negative were:

Cravens, Decker, Dorrell, Elsner, Humphreys, Laney. Total 6.

So the motion failed for want of a constitutional majority.

Senator Brown offered the following motion:

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move to recommit Engrossed House Bill No. 581 to a committee of one, Senator Grant, with specific instructions to amend by inserting after the word "assessor" where it occurs at the end of line 7 of section 1 of the printed bill the following:

"and the township assessor of any township having a population of less than two hundred thousand as shown by the last preceding United States census and an assessed valuation as shown by the last preceding assessment of one hundred twenty-five million dollars of taxables or more."

Also, by inserting after the comma following the word "census" where it occurs in line 17 of section 1 of the printed bill the following:

"and in any township having a population of less than two hundred thousand as shown by the last preceding United States census and an assessed valuation as shown by the last preceding assessment of ninety million dollars of taxables or more."

Brown; Senator.

Which motion was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your committee of one, to which was recommitted Engrossed House Bill No. 581, with specific instructions to amend, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as instructed.

GRANT, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Masters called up Engrossed House Bill No. 581 and offered the following motion:

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended, and that House Bill No. 581 be considered engrossed, read the third time by sections, and placed upon its passage.

MASTERS, Senator.

The question being on the suspension of the rules.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Wolfson. Total 36.

Those voting in the negative were:

Cravens. Total 1.

So the motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Wolfson. Total 34.

Cravens voting in the negative. Total 1.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed House Bill No. 581 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Senator Brown, chairman of Committee on Rights and Privileges, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 573, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with recommendation that same do pass.

Brown.

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Senator Metzger, chairman of Committee on Cities and Towns, submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Cities and Towns, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 516, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate without recommendation.

METZGER.

Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Brown moved that House Bill No. 526 be made a special order for 8:30 p. m., Friday, July 23, 1920.

Which motion prevailed.

Senator Tague called up House Bill No. 597 for third reading.

Senator Wolfson moved to recommit House Bill No. 597 with specific instructions to amend as follows:

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move that Engrossed House Bill No. 597 be referred to a committee of one, Senator McKinley, with specific instructions to amend by striking out section 23½, and by renumbering the remaining sections.

Wolfson, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

Senator McKinley submitted the following report:

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 597, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

McKinley, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Tague called up House Bill No. 597.

Senator Tague moved to recommit House Bill No. 597 with specific instructions to amend as follows:

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move to recommit Engrossed House Bill No. 597 to a committee of one, Senator English, with specific instructions to amend:

By striking out all of section 2 of said bill and inserting in lieu thereof a new section to be numbered section 2 as follows:

"Section 2. The Commission, immediately upon the taking effect of this act, shall organize for the purpose of performing the duties herein prescribed, by adding to its present staff any and all engineers, accountants, clerks, assistants and employes, in accordance with the provisions already contained in an act known as the Public Service Commission Act, which comprises chapter 76 of the Acts of 1913, together with subsequent amendments. A majority of the Commission shall constitute a quorum. The Commission, in its proceedings, shall be governed, so far as practicable, by the rules already in existence. In the employment of engineers, accountants, clerks and assistants, the Commission shall be governed by the law already in effect applicable to the Commission when sitting as the Public Service Commission of Indiana."

TAGUE, Senator.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 597, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

ENGLISH, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Tague offered the following motion:

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move to recommit Engrossed House Bill No. 597 to a committee of one, Senator English, with specific instructions to amend by correcting the spelling of the word "individuals" in line ten (10) of section twenty-three and three-fourths (23%).

TAGUE, Senator.

Senator English offered the following committee report:

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 597, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

ENGLISH, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Tague offered the following motion:

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move to recommit Engrossed House Bill No. 597 to a committee of one, Senator English, with specific instructions to amend:

By striking out all of section 1 after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof a new section to be numbered section 1 as follows:

"Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, That there is hereby created a special coal and food commission, the members of which shall comprise the members of the Public Service Commission of Indiana. This Commission shall serve without any additional pay until the 31st day of March, 1921, and no longer, at which time said Commission, so far as the powers herein conferred, shall cease to exist unless continued by subsequent legislation."

TAGUE, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

Senator English submitted the following report:

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 597, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

ENGLISH, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Tague offered the following motion:

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move to recommit Engrossed House Bill No. 597 to a committee of one, Senator English, with specific instructions to amend:

By striking out of lines eight (8) and nine (9) in section 4 the quotation marks and words "Indiana Coal Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Public Service Commission of Indiana."

TAGUE, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

Senator English offered the following committee report:

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 597, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

ENGLISH, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Tague offered the following motion:

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move to recommit Engrossed House Bill No. 597 to a committee of one, Senator English, with specific instructions to amend:

By striking out all of section 5 and by renumbering the succeeding sections as follows:

Section six (6) as section five (5); section seven (7) as section six (6) and so on until all subsequent sections have been renumbered.

TAGUE. Senator

Which motion prevailed.

Senator English offered the following committee report:

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 597, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

English, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Tague offered the following motion:

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move to recommit Engrossed House Bill No. 597 to a committee of one, Senator English, with specific instructions to amend by striking out in lines thirteen (13) and fourteen (14) of section twenty-one (21) the following words "Indiana Coal."

TAGUE, Senator.

Which motion was concurred in.

Senator English offered the following committee report:

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your committee of one, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 597, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

English, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

The roll was called on the passage of the bill. .

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Decker, Dobyns, Duffey, Duncan, English, Hepler, Hogston, James, Kiper, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 27.

Those voting in the negative were:

Brown, Cravens, Dorrell, Douglass, Elsner, Furnas, Grant, Humphreys, Kline, Laney, McCullough, Nejdl. Total 12.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

Senator Tague offered the following motion;

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move to amend Engrossed House Bill No. 597 as follows: By amending the title to read as follows:

A bill for an act entitled "An act to regulate the price of coal mined and sold in the State of Indiana and to investigate the high cost of food products, profiteering, hoarding and destroying of food products by wholesalers, retail dealers or individuals engaged in the sale or distribution of food products, and conferring upon the Public Service Commission certain additional powers, defining these powers, prescribing duties and providing penalties for the violation of this act."

TAGUE, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed House Bill No. 597 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

Senator Wolfson moved that the Senate adjourn until 8 o'clock p. m. Friday, July 23, 1920.

Which motion prevailed.

FRIDAY EVENING.

The Senate convened at 8 o'clock p. m. Friday, July 23, 1920, with Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Roll call for a quorum.

Quorum present.

Senator English called up Engrossed House Bill No. 514 entitled:

A bill for an act concerning taxation.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that House Bill No. 514 as amended be amended as follows: By striking out all of said bill after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following: That at a time to be fixed by the State Board of Tax Commissioners within thirty (30) days from the passage of this act the county boards of review for the various counties of this State shall convene in special session for the purpose of reconsidering the matter of equalization of the valuations of property between the different taxing units of their respective counties for the year 1919; and they shall thereupon make and issue such orders of equalization as may be deemed necessary in order to maintain a fair equality between such taxing units in bearing the burden of taxation. Said session shall continue so long as may be necessary not exceeding ten (10) days. For their services each member

of such county board of review shall receive the sum of five (\$5.00) dollars for each day of actual attendance.

Section 2. Within ten days after the adjournment of the special sessions of the various county boards of review the county auditors shall certify the necessary data required by law to the State Board of Tax Commissioners, which in turn shall proceed to consider the matter of equalization by counties for said year 1919, and said board shall thereupon make and issue such orders of equalization, as it may deem just and proper, which order shall be certified to the appropriate local officers; and thereupon the assessments as made by the county boards of review and the State Board of Tax Commissioners shall be entered on the tax duplicates for the various taxing units for the purpose of taxation for said year 1919: Provided, however, That the State Board and county boards shall have the power to except from any such order of equalization cash on hand or any other class of property which it finds has been assessed by the State Board or the local officers at the true cash value thereof: And provided further, That said State Board shall have the power to reconsider and reassess any property assessed by it originally.

Section 3. Upon the valuations of property as finally fixed in the manner prescribed by the preceding sections of this enactment, the appropriate taxing officers shall make levies in such amounts as may be necessary in order to produce substantially the same amount of revenue provided by the valuations and levies heretofore fixed and approved by the State Board of Tax Commissioners for the year 1919.

Section 4. Any alterations in the amount of taxes to be paid by any taxpayer as a result of the proceedings hereinbefore provided for shall be taken into account in the collection of the second installment of taxes for said year; and if the amount less the road tax previously paid exceeds one-half of the total amount for the year a credit shall be given on the second installment for the excess; and if the amount so paid is less than one-half the total amount for the year the deficit shall be added to the second installment. If any taxpayer has paid more including his road tax than the total amount due for the year, the auditor shall draw a warrant on the treasurer for a proper refund.

Section 5. All taxes assessed by virtue of the proceedings herein provided for shall be and remain a lien on property, real and personal, until paid as other taxes under the general laws of the State.

Section 6. Each taxing unit of the State of Indiana is hereby authorized to borrow in anticipation of the collection of the revenues provided for in the preceding sections an amount equal to the revenue to be raised as provided in said sections, which loans shall be paid from said revenues so derived.

Section 7. For any extra services to carry out the provisions of this act, the auditors and treasurers of the several counties shall be entitled to receive reasonable compensation, to be determined by the board of county commissioners

Section 8. Upon the taking effect of this act, the Governor shall appoint two additional members to serve with the State Board of Tax Commissioners, who shall be adherents of different political parties and who shall have the same authority and be charged with the same duties and receive

the same salary as other members of said board until the first day of March, 1921, at which time their terms of office shall expire.

Section 9. This act shall be deemed as supplemental legislation and shall not be construed to repeal any law now in force relative to taxation.

Section 10. An emergency is hereby declared to exist for the immediate taking effect of this act and therefore the same shall be in full force and effect from and after the passage thereof.

Douglass, Senator.

The question being on the adoption of the motion.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Arnold, Cravens, Decker, Dorrell, Douglass, Elsner, Hagerty, Hepler, Humphreys, Laney, McCullough. Total 11.

Those voting in the negative were:

Alldredge, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Dobyns, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hogston, James, Kiper, Kline, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Signs, Smith. Tague. Wolfson. Total 29.

So the motion was lost for want of a constitutional majority.

SENATE MOTION.

Senator Smith offered the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move to amend Engrossed House Bill No. 514 by adding a new section to be known as section $8\frac{1}{2}$ as follows:

Section 8½. After the passage of this act the State Board of Tax Commissioners shall have no right, authority or power to review, reduce or increase in any way or manner the State highway levy now provided by law.

SMITH, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION.

Senator English offered the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended, and that Engrossed House Bill No. 514 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, read a third time by sections, and placed upon its passage.

ENGLISH, Senator.

The question being on the suspension of the rules.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough,

McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Wolfson. Total 34.

None voting in the negative.

So the motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Dobyns, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hogston, James, Kiper, Kline, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 30.

Those voting in the negative were:

Arnold, Cravens, Decker, Dorrell, Douglass, Elsner, Hagerty, Hepler, Humphreys, Kolsem, McCullough. Total 11.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of House Bill No. 514 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

The Chair handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 359. House amendments concurred in.

 \cdot Senator Masters called up Engrossed House Bill No. 526 for third reading, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 81 of an act entitled "An act concerning municipal corporations, etc."

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Bowers, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 36.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed House Bill No. 526 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

Senator Wolfson moved that the Senate do now adjourn. Which motion prevailed.

EDGAR D. BUSH, President of the Senate.

WILLIAM M. LOUDEN,

SATURDAY MORNING.

July 24, 1920.

The Senate convened at 10:00 o'clock a. m., Saturday, July 24th, 1920, with Lieutenant Governor Bush in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Representative Jinnett of the House.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed Senate Joint Resolution No. 44 and the same is herewith returned to the Senate.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 558, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with recommendation that said bill be amended as follows, and when so amended that said bill do pass, to-wit:

To amend section 5 by adding in line 6 after the period (.) following the word "act" the following:

"Said Board of Trustees is hereby authorized and directed to acquire by donation, purchase or condemnation the fee simple title to such other real estate as in its judgment may be necessary or proper to provide suitable grounds for such Indiana World War Memorial."

By striking out of line 33 of section 5, the second word "and," also by inserting after the word "all" in line 33 of section 5 the following "patriotic organizations and societies, and of all."

By inserting after the word "patriotic" in line 37 of section 5 the word "organizations" and following said word "organizations" by a comma (,).

By inserting in line 51, section 6, after the word "which" the following words "when added to the cost of grounds."

By striking out the period (.) in line 53, section 6 and by adding in lieu thereof a comma (,) and adding the following words:

"In addition to the amount which said Board of Trustees may have received from any source, or which may have been appropriated by any city or county therefor at the time such contract is let."

By inserting a comma (,) after the word "war" in line 5 of section 12 and also by inserting after said comma in line 5, section 12, the words

"and of all patriotic organizations, societies, and associations that rendered loyal service and made sacrifices at home and overseas in the Great World War."

I move to amend section 5 by inserting in line 7 after the word "dedicated," the following words: "together with any additional real estate that may be acquired by said Board of Trustees."

I move to amend section 5, by inserting in line 22, after the word "act," the following words: "or that may be acquired by said Board of Trustees."

I move to amend section 5, by inserting in line 31, after the word "by," the following words: "or acquired under."

I move to amend section 5, by inserting in line 37, after the word "marines," the following words: "of the Great World War, the Civil War, and the Spanish American War."

By inserting in line 37, section 5, after the word "marines," the following words: "of the Great World War, the Civil War, and the Spanish American War."

I move to amend Section 6, line 51, by inserting after the word "which," the following words: "When added to the cost of grounds."

I move to amend Section 6, by striking out of lines 55 and 56, the following words: "Not exceeding \$35,000," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Such amount as the Board of Trustees may deem wise."

I move to amend section 6, by adding the following: "To acquire by donation, purchase or condemnation such real estate and property in the City of Indianapolis to be used in connection with the real estate now owned or in the name or control of the State of Indiana and dedicated in section 5 of this act as a part of said "Memorial Place," as it may deem necessary or proper when used in connection with said real estate so dedicated to make suitable grounds for the erection and maintenance of the structures as contemplated by this act, and for such "Memorial Place," and said Board of Trustees is hereby given the right to proceed under "An act concerning proceedings in the exercise of eminent domain, approved February 27, 1905," and all acts amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto, together with all powers of eminent domain now or hereafter granted to cities of the first class. Said Board of Trustees shall have the power to rent any real estate or improvements thereon which they may acquire as a part of such grounds, upon such terms and conditions and for such a time as it may determine.

To sell the buildings and improvements situated on any real estate which may be acquired for such site in the event it decides the same are not needed or useful for its purposes, and the net proceeds of such sale or sales of such buildings or personal property are hereby appropriated for the use of said Board of Trustees, the same to be immediately available and not to revert to the general fund of the State, and to be in addition to the appropriation hereinafter made.

I move to amend section 13, by inserting in line 5, after the word "marines," the following words: "of the Great World War, the Civil War and the Spanish American War."

To amend section 14, by striking out lines 1 to 20 inclusive, and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

"For the purpose of raising further revenues to comply with this act there shall be assessed and levied upon the taxable property of the State of Indiana for the years 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924 and 1925 for the use of said Trustees of the Indiana World War Memorial in complying with the provisions of this act, a tax of one cent (\$.01) on each one hundred dollars of taxable property in Indiana in like manner as other state taxes are assessed, levied and collected. Said tax when collected shall from time to time be held in a special fund, to be known as Indiana World War Memorial Fund, and all accummulation of said fund shall be immediately available for the use of said Board of Trustees under this act. And all money that may be received and collected as herein provided for is hereby appropriated for the use of said Board of Trustees to comply with the provisions of this act.

And all warrants drawn by the Auditor of State upon vouchers in accordance with the provisions of this act shall be drawn against, and the funds for the payment thereof paid out of said "Indiana World War Memorial Fund," and it shall be the duty of the Auditor of State to draw warrants for such expenditures when vouchers therefor are properly made out, in accordance with the provisions of this act and it shall be the duty of the Treasurer of State to pay said warrants out of any money that may be available in said Indiana World War Memorial Fund.

For the purposes of this Act there is appropriated the further sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) out of the General Funds in Treasury of the State of Indiana not otherwise appropriated, which fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) shall be available upon the taking effect of this act."

To amend section 14, in line 30, by inserting after the word "act," the following words, "together with a total cost of all real estate condemned for such grounds."

To amend section 15 by striking out lines 1 to 20 inclusive.

To amend Section 14 by striking out all that follows after the word "the" in line 32 and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

"Estimated amount to be derived from said tax levy herein authorized and said sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) herein specifically appropriated for immediate use and such further and other sums or property as may be received by said Board of Trustees by donations, devised gifts or bequests and any sums appropriated by the State or by any city or by any county of the State for use by said Board of Trustees under this act."

To amend said bill by inserting after section 15 two additional sections, to be numbered 16 and 17, and to read as follows: And that the remaining sections of said bill be renumbered accordingly.

Section 16. Said Board of Trustees shall not expend or contract for the expenditure of any sums in excess of five thousand dollars (\$5,000) in the aggregate unless and until the City of Indianapolis and the County of Marion shall have appropriated an aggregate sum of not less than five million dollars (\$5,000,000) and authorized the use thereof for the purpose of this act.

The State of Indiana shall have the right to receive from the City of Indianapolis and from the County of Marion for use by said Board of Trustees under the provisions of this act said sum of money when duly appropriated by said city and by said county and expend the same for the purposes defined by this act.

When any such money shall have been appropriated and the use thereof authorized as in this act provided, such memorial shall thereupon be and become a World War Memorial of the City of Indianapolis and a World War Memorial of the County of Marion to the extent of the respective amounts so appropriated by each for the purposes of this act, in addition to being a World War Memorial of the State of Indiana; and in such event the Board of Trustees shall make such memorial suitable as a World War Memorial for said city, county and State and available for their uses as such. In such event the right is hereby granted to such city and county respectively to use said memorial as a city and county memorial pursuant to a contract to be executed as in this act provided. The appropriations so made by said city and county shall be continuing appropriations and shall not elapse until all of the money so appropriated revert to the general funds of said county or city. The State of Indiana, acting by and through said Board of Trustees, shall have the power to enter into contracts with the City of Indianapolis and the County of Marion, which contracts shall provide that said city and county instead of building a separate City World War Memorial and a separate County World War Memorial or a Joint City and County World War Memorial as authorized by law shall pay and cover into the treasury of State of the State of Indiana the aggregate sum of not less than five millian dollars (\$5,000,000), said sums shall be paid at such times and in such manner as said contracts may provide for the purposes of this act, and said contracts shall require that said Board of Trustees shall plan and construct such World War Memorial so that the same shall be suitable and available not only for State War Memorial but also for a City World War Memorial and a County World War Memorial, provided that such city and such county use shall be upon such terms and conditions as said contracts may provide.

Section 17. There is hereby appropriated for the use of said Board of Trustees for the purposes defined by this act, all sums of money covered into the Treasury of State of the State of Indiana, by said city or county for such purposes, the same when paid to be immediately available and not to revert to the general fund of the State and to be in addition to all other appropriations herein made and to be drawn out of the Treasury of State in the same manner as moneys otherwise appropriated by this act.

TAGUE, Chairman.

Which amendments were adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

A minority report of your Committee on Military Affairs, to which was referred House Bill No. 558, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

BEARDSLEY, Senator.

SENATE MOTION.

Senator Ratts offered the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move to amend Engrossed House Bill No. 558 by striking out the period (.) at the end of line 80, section 6 and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Provided that in all cases where State of Indiana produced suitable materials they shall be used in the construction of the Memorial Building herein provided for and of other buildings or structures forming a part of the above Memorial Plan, in preference to similar materials at similar prices from other states.

RATTS, Senator.

SENATE MOTION.

Senator English offered the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended, and that Engrossed House Bill No. 558 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, third time by sections, and placed upon its passage.

ENGLISH, Senator.

The question being on the suspension of the rules.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 39.

None voting in the negative.

So the motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Bowers, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 37.

Senator Beardsley voting in the negative. Total 1.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

SENATE MOTION.

Senator Tague offered the following motion:

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move to amend the title to Engrossed House Bill No. 558 to read as follows: "A bill for an act entitled an act providing for an Indiana World War Memorial to be located at Indianapolis, creating a Board of Trustees, defining its powers and duties, providing for dedication and acquisition of real estate and interests therein by donation, purchase or condemnation, and providing for limiting the use and for the control and regulation of real estate not acquired, the levying of State taxes and the appropriaation of money for use by said Board of Trustees in acquiring such real estate and interests therein and the erection and maintenance therein of suitable structures to commemorate the valor and sacrifice of soldiers, sailors and marines of the United States, of all patriotic organizations, and all others who rendered loyal service and made sacrifices at home and overseas in the Great World War, and to provide a place or places of meetings and headquarters for organizations of such soldiers, sailors and marines, of all patriotic organizations, and others, and for public meetings and other public purposes, and to authorize the State of Indiana to receive and expend money which may be appropriated by the County of Marion and the City of Indianapolis for a World War Memorial, and providing for the use thereof by such State, county and city, exempting the same from taxation and to authorize said board of trustees to enter into contracts with said county and city for such purposes and declaring an emergency."

TAGUE, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed House Bill No. 558 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

The Chair handed down Senate Enrolled Acts Nos. 353, 346, 413, 404 and 359.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed House Bill No. 598, and the same is herewith transmitted to the Senate for further action.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 598 for first reading. Referred to Committee on Elections.

Senator Wolfson moved that the Senate adjourn until 2:00 o'clock p. m., Saturday, July 24, 1920.

Which motion prevailed.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON.

July 24th, 1920.

The Senate convened at 2:00 o'clock p. m., Saturday, July 24th, with Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Roll call for quorum.

Quorum present.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed Senate Bills Nos. 352 and 410; also Senate Joint Resolution No. 45 and the same are herewith returned to the Senate.

JOHN W. THIEL,

Principal Clerk of the House.

The Chair handed down Enrolled Senate Bills Nos. 352 and 410 and Joint Resolution No. 45.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed Senate Bill No. 351 with amendments and the same is herewith returned to the Senate for concurrence.

JOHN W. THIEL.

Principal Clerk of the House.

Amendments concurred in by the Senate.

The Chair handed down Joint Resolution No. 44. The same was ordered enrolled.

The Chair ordered Senate Bill No. 351 enrolled.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move to amend Engrossed House Bill No. 553 as amended by the Senate upon recommendation of the Senate Committee on Education by reinserting the following words and figures:

"Provided further that the minimum paid to any teacher in the Common Schools of this State shall not be less than \$800 per school year."

Where the same was stricken out upon recommendation of said Senate Committee on Education.

NEGLEY, Senator.

Which motion was lost.

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended, and that Engrossed House Bill No. 553 be read

the second time by title, considered engrossed, read third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

DUNCAN, Senator.

The question being on the suspension of the rules.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Bowers, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 34.

Beardsley and Kline voting in the negative. Total 2.

So the motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bowers, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Douglass, Duffey, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, McCray, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 30.

Those voting in the negative were: Bainum, Duncan, Kline, Laney, McConaha. Total 5.

So the bill passed.

The question being: Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 553 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has not concurred in amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 597 and the Speaker of the House has appointed Representatives Behmer, Phelps and Bonham a Conference Committee to meet and confer with a like committee of the Senate on this bill, and to report thereon.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has not concurred in Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 558 and the Speaker of the House has appointed Representatives Wood, Newby

and Benz a Conference Committee to meet and confer with a like committee of the Senate on said bill, and to report thereon.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed House Bill No. 583 and the same is herewith transmitted to the Senate for further action.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 583 entitled: A bill for an act concerning the salaries and compensations of the clerical assistants, and the same was referred to the Committee on Fees and Salaries.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed House Bill No. 598 and the same is herewith transmitted to the Senate for further action.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

The Chair appointed Senators Duncan, Meeker and Bainum as a Conference Committee on the part of the Senate on House Bill No. 597.

Senator Negley moved that the Senate adjourn until 2:00 o'clock p. m., Monday, July 26th, 1920.

Which motion prevailed.

EDGAR D. BUSH, President of the Senate.

WILLIAM M. LOUDEN,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

MONDAY AFTERNOON.

July 26th, 1920.

The Senate convened at 2:00 o'clock p. m., Monday, July 26th, 1920, with Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Prayer by Senator Alldredge.

Roll call for quorum.

Quorum present.

Senator Dobyns called up Engrossed House Bill No. 525 entitled:

A bill for an act concerning construction, repair, maintenance and preservation of certain highways, etc.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Bracken, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Douglass, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Maier, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 42.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed House Bill No. 525 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

SENATE BILL NO. 414.

Senator Laney introduced Senate Bill No. 414, entitled:

A bill for an act to authorize Boards of Trustees of Indiana University, Purdue University and State Normal School to borrow money.

Approved and read first time by title and referred to Committee on Finance.

The President of the Senate appointed Senators Tague, James and Bracken as conferees on the part of the Senate to consider Memorial Bill.

Senator Negley introduced Senate Bill No. 415 entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 25 of an act concerning the department of Public Parks in cities of the first class, etc.

Approved and read a first time by title and referred to Committee on Affairs of City of Indianapolis.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Elections, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 598 has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

Dobyns, Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your Conference Committee, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 547, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that the Senate recede from its amendments.

SMITH, DOUGLASS, WOLFSON,

Senate.

MALLOTT, CANN, SCOTT,

House.

Which report was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Fees and Salaries, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 583, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

SMITH, Chairman. TAGUE. GRANT. HEPLER. SIGNS.

Which report was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 573, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that the same do pass.

Brown, Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

The Chair handed down the following telegram.

Kendallville, Indiana. July 25th, 1920.

HON. EDGAR D. BUSH,

Lieutenant Governor, Indianapolis, Indiana.

Respectfully request that I be excused today. Important business requires my attention. Return Tuesday morning session. Suggest my replacement if desirable on Memorial Conference Committee.

MUNTON, Senator.

Senate granted request.

The Chair handed down the following telegram:

Goshen, Indiana, July 26th, 1920.

LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR BUSH,

State House, Indianapolis, Indiana.

Will arrive five-fifty this evening.

A. H. BEARDSLEY.

Senate granted request.

Senator Hogston offered the following motion:

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that Engrossed Senate Bill No. 383 be recommitted to a Committee of One, its author, with specific instructions to amend by adding thereto an additional section numbered section 2 as follows:

Section 2. In any case where under and by virtue of the provisions of Chapter 93 of the acts of the regular session of the General Assembly of 1919, any contractor shall have been released from the performance of a contract awarded for the construction of any public highway in this State, a petition, signed by a majority of the original petitioners, for such highway, may be filed with the Board of Commissioners of the county in which such highway is located, asking that the material originally prescribed for the improvement and surfacing of such highway be changed and that other road surfacing material be substituted therefor. petition so filed shall specify the material originally prescribed for the surfacing of such highway, the material which it is proposed to substitute and the reasons for requesting such substitution. The Board of Commissioners, if convinced-that the petition is signed by a majority of the original petitioners for such highway, shall grant such substitution of surfacing material as prayed for in the petition as a matter of course, and shall enter an order to that effect accordingly. If the bonds already issued will not yield sufficient revenue to construct, improve, grade, drain and pave such highway, including any additional costs which may be incurred by reason of the substitution of such surfacing material as hereinbefore provided, then and in that event, additional bonds may be issued, in the manner now provided by law, in such amount as may be necessary to defray such additional costs.

Hogston, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your Committee of One, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 383 begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

CRAVENS, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Cravens called up for third reading Engrossed Senate Bill No. 383 entitled:

À bill for an act concerning construction, improvement of free gravel, stone or macadamized roads.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Cravens, Decker,

Dorrell, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, James, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Maier, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Negley, Ratts, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Wolfson. Total 34.

Those voting in the negative were:

Humphreys. Total 1.

.So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 383 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

HOUSE BILL NO. 540.

Senator McKinley called up Engrossed House Bill No. 540, entitled:

A bill for an act requiring wholesale dealers to sell articles, supplies, materials and commodities regularly dealt in by them to co-operative companies on request and the tender of money therefor, and prohibiting such co-operative companies from charging-more for such articles than other retail dealers.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Bracken, Cravens, Dorrell, Elsner, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, Kline, Laney, McCullough, McKinley, Signs, Smith, Strode. Total 17.

Those voting in the negative were:

Bowers, Duffey, Duncan, Furnas, Hagerty, James, McConaha, McCray, Maier, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Negley, Ratts, Self, Southworth, Tague, Wolfson. Total 18.

So the bill failed to pass for want of a constitutional majority,

The Lieutenant Governor announced that he had signed Enrolled House Bills Nos. 580 and 581 also Senate Enrolled Bills 352, 371 and 410 and Joint Resolutions Nos. 44 and 45.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the Governor has approved House Enrolled Acts Nos. 574, 548, 517, 515, 536, 545, 542, 520, 530, 563, and 508, and the same have been deposited with the Secretary of State.

John W. Thiel, Principal Clerk of the House.

Mr. President:

I move to recommit Engrossed House Bill No. 506 to a Committee of One, Senator Metzger, with specific instructions to amend by striking out the word "minimum" where it occurs in line 13 of section 1 of the printed bill.

Also by inserting a comma and the following after the word "minimum" where it occurs in line 19, section 1 of the printed bill, "where a minimum salary is provided by law."

Also by striking out all of section 2 after the figure "2" where it occurs in line 1 and all of lines 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 and all of line 7 of said section down to and including the period following the word "provided."

RATTS, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. President:

Your Committee of one, to which was recommitted Engrossed House Bill No. 506, with specific instructions to amend, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

METZGER, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Ratts called up for third reading Engrossed House Bill No. 506 entitled:

A bill for an act concerning cities which have advanced to a higher class by reason of an increase in population, etc. Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Bainum, Bowers, Decker, Duncan, English, Furnas, Hagerty, Hogston, Kline, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Maier, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Signs, Southworth, Strode, Wolfson. Total 26.

Those voting in the negative were:

Arnold, Cravens, Dorrell, Duffey, Elsner, Hepler, Humphreys, Laney, McCullough. Total 9.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move to amend the title to Engrossed House Bill No. 506 by striking out of the last line of the title of the Engrossed Bill the word "repeating" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "repealing."

RATTS, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of En-

grossed House Bill No. 506 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move to amend Engrossed House Bill No. 598 by striking out the words "one and one-fourth" in line 6 and inserting in lieu thereof the following "one and one-half."

NEJDL, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move that the constitutional rules requiring all bills to be read on three separate days be suspended and that Engrossed House Bill No. 598 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, read third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

ELSNER & FURNAS,

The question being, Shall the rules be suspended on House Bill No. 598?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Bowers, Cravens, Decker, Dorrell, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Maier, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Wolfson. Total 34.

None voting in the negative.

Which motion prevailed.

Senator Furnas called up for third reading House Bill No. 598, entitled: A bill for an act concerning elections.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Bowers, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dorrell, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Maier, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Wolfson. Total 34.

Senator Elsner voting in the negative. Total 1.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of En-

grossed House Bill No. 598 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

Senator Wolfson moved that the Senate do now adjourn. Which motion prevailed.

EDGAR D. BUSH, President of the Senate.

WILLIAM M. LOUDEN,

Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

TUESDAY

July 27th, 1920.

The Senate convened at 10:00 o'clock a.m. with Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Prayer by Mrs. E. E. Olcott, of North Vernon, member of State Board of Education.

Roll call for quorum.

Quorum present.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that Engrossed House Bill No. 583 be recommitted to a committee of one, Senator Furnas, with specific instructions to amend by inserting after the word "appropriate" in line 4 of section 1 the word "annually."

Also by striking out of line 13, in section 1, the figures "100,000," and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "135,000."

Hogston, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your Committee of One, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 583, begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

FURNAS, Senator.

Which motion was concurred in.

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended, and that Engrossed House Bill No. 583 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

SMITH, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

The question being, Shall the rules be suspended as to Engrossed House Bill No. 583?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Decker, Dorrell, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, James, Kiper, Kline, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 34.

Those voting in the negative were:

Cravens, Humphreys, Laney, Maier. Total 4.

So the motion prevailed.

Senator Hogston called up for third reading Engrossed House Bill No. 583, entitled:

A bill for an act concerning the salaries and compensations of the clerical assistants of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of certain counties.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Decker, Dorrell, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 33.

Those voting in the negative were:

Cravens, Humphreys, Maier, Signs. Total 4.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed House Bill No. 583 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

MR. PRESIDENT AND GENTLEMEN OF THE SENATE:

I have this day approved Senate Enrolled Acts Nos. 392, 404, 352, 394, 359 and Joint Resolutions No. 44 and 45, and have caused the same to be filed with the Secretary of State.

Very truly yours,

J. P. GOODRICH,

Governor of Indiana.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the Governor has

approved House Enrolled Acts Nos. 509 and 518 and the same have been deposited with the Secretary of State.

John W. Thiel, Principal Clerk of the House.

SENATE BILL NO. 416.

Senator Hogston introduced Senate Bill No. 416, entitled:

A bill for an act to regulate the hours of duty of members of Fire Departments. Approved and read first time by title and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended and that Senate Bill No. 412 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, read third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

MoCray, Duffey. Masters. English. Wolfson. Negley.

The question being, Shall the rules be suspended as to Senate Bill No. 412.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dorrell, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McCray, McKinley, Maier, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Wolfson. Total 34.

Those voting in the negative were:

Beardsley, McConaha, McCullough. Total 3.

Which motion prevailed.

Senator Masters called up for third reading Senate Bill No. 412, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 17 of an act concerning the Departments of Sanitation in cities of the first class.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Decker, Duffey, English, Furnas, Grant, Hogston, James, McConaha, McCray, Maier, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Ratts, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 27.

Those voting in the negative were:

Cravens, Dorrell, Duncan, Hepler, Humphreys, Kline, Laney, Mc-Kinley, Nejdl, Self. Total 10.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of the bill and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Affairs of City of Indianapolis, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 415, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

McCray, Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 416, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with recommendation that said bill do pass.

Brown. Furnas. McCray. Self.

Which report was concurred in.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended, that Senate Bill No. 416 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, read third time by sections, and placed upon its passage.

Hogston, Senator.

Question being on the suspension of the rules.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Bowers, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dorrell, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Maier, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 35.

Beardsley and Kline voting in the negative. Total 2.

So the motion prevailed.

Senator Hogston called up for third reading Senate Bill No. 416 entitled:

A bill for an act to regulate the hours of duty of members of Fire Departments.

Which was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Bowers, Decker, Dorrell, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Maier, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 35.

Kline voting in the negative. Total 1.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move that the title of Senate Bill 416 be amended as follows: By inserting after the word "Indiana" and the comma following in line 3 of the title, the following "having a population of more than fifteen thousand (15,000), according to the last preceding census of the United States."

NEGLEY, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of the bill and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Finance, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 571, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate without recommendation.

McConaha, Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Wolfson moved that the Senate adjourn until 3:00 o'clock p. m., Tuesday, July 27th.

Which motion prevailed.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON.

July 27th, 1920.

The Senate convened at 3:00 o'clock p. m., with Lieutenant-Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Roll call for quorum.

A quorum present.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your committee report on Finance, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 414, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be indefinitely postponed.

McConaha. Signs. Cravens, Hepler. Furnas. Self.

Senator McKinley called for a roll call on the concurrence in the report of the committee.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Cravens, Hepler, Kline, McConaha, McCray, Meeker, Metzger, Ratts, Self, Strode. Total 10.

Those voting in the negative were:

Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Laney, McKinley, Maier, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Smith, Southworth, Tague, Wolfson. Total 25.

So the report of the committee was not concurred in.

SENATE BILL NO. 414.

Senator McKinley called up Engrossed Senate Bill No. 414 for third reading entitled:

A bill for an act to authorize Board of Trustees of Indiana University, Purdue University and State Normal School to borrow money.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 414 be read the sec-

ond time by title, considered engrossed, read third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

McKinley, Laney,

Senators.

The question being on the suspension of the rules.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Laney, McCullough, McKinley, Maier, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 34.

Those voting in the negative were: Bracken, Cravens, Elsner, Hepler, Kline, McConaha, McCray, Signs. Total 8.

So the motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Dobyns, Dorrell, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Laney, McKinley, Masters, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Wolfson. Total 26.

Those voting in the negative were: Arnold, Bracken, Cravens, Decker, Elsner, Hepler, Hogston, Kline, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, Maier, Meeker, Self, Strode. Total 15.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 414 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has not concurred in Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 598 and the Speaker of the House has appointed Representatives Tuthill, Bidaman, and Dunn—a Conference Committee to meet and confer with a like committee of the Senate on said bill, and to report thereon.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has

not concurred in Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 514 and the Speaker of the House has appointed Representative Tuthill, Laughlin, and Dunn—a Conference Committee, to meet and confer with a like committee of the Senate on said bill, and to report thereon.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed Senate Bill No. 398 and the same is herewith returned to the Senate.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

The Chair announced that he had signed Enrolled Acts Nos. 553, 506 and 547.

Senator Negley called up Engrossed Senate Bill No. 415, entitled:

A bill for an act to amend section 25 of an act concerning the department of public parks in cities of the first class, etc.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move that Senate Bill No. 415 be amended as follows: That the letter "T" where is appears in line 2 of section 1, following the figure "2," be stricken out, and that the figure "5" be inserted in lieu thereof.

NEGLEY, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move that Senate Bill No. 415 be recommitted to a committee of one (1), Senator Dobyns with specific instructions to amend the same by inserting a comma (,) after the word "sold" in line 59 of section 1, and by inserting after such comma (,) the words "at not less than par, and accrued interest to date of delivery."

NEGLEY, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your Committee of One, to which was referred Engrossed Senate Bill No. 415 begs leave to report that said bill has been amended as directed.

Dobyns, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move that Senate Bill No. 415 be recommitted to a committee of one, its author, with specific instructions to amend the same as follows: By striking out the word "Public" in line 3 of section 1, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "public." Also by striking out the first letters "i" in the word "connection" in line 17 of section one (1) and inserting in lieu thereof the letter "o." Also by striking out the word "be" at the beginning of line 44 of section 1.

Also by inserting the letter "s" after the word "bond" in line 52 of section 1.

Also by striking out the word "in" from line 70 of section 1.

Furnas, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Senator Negley submitted the following committee report:

Mr. President:

Your Committee of One to whom Engrossed Senate Bill No. 415 was referred begs leave to report that the same has been amended as directed.

Negley, Senator.

Which report was concurred in.

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read three separate days be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 415 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, and then read a third time by sections, and placed upon its passage.

NEGLEY, Senator.

The question being on the suspension of the rules.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Maier, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 37.

None voting in the negative.

So the motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Laney, McConaha, McCullough, McKinley, Maier,

Masters, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth; Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 35.

Those voting in the negative were:

Kline, McCray, Meeker. Total 3.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move to amend Engrossed Senate Bill No. 415 by striking out the word "duries" in line 4 of the title, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "duties."

NEGLEY, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 415 and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

The Chair handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 398 to be enrolled.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Conference Committee, appointed to confer with a like committee from the House, upon Engrossed Senate Amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 597, respectfully reports that said two committees have met and conferred and have agreed as follows:

- 1. That the House agrees to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 1, by striking out Section 23½ of the Engrossed Bill.
- 2. That the House agrees to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 1 A, striking out section 19 of the engrossed bill.
- 3. That the Senate recede from Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 2, striking out all of section 1 after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof a new section, and agrees to the following:

That there is hereby created a special coal and food commission, which shall consist of the members of the State Board of Accounts, and which shall possess the powers and perform the duties hereinafter provided for in this act. The members of the State Board of Accounts shall serve as members of the Special Coal and Food Commission hereby created, without additional compensation, and until the thirty-first of March, 1921, and no longer, at which time the Special Coal and Food Commission shall cease to exist unless continued by subsequent legislation.

4. That the Senate recede from Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 3, striking out all of section 2 and inserting in lieu thereof a new section, and agrees to the following section to be numbered section 2.

Section 2. Immediately upon the taking effect of this act, the commission shall organize by selecting such engineers, accountants, clerks, assistants and employes as in the judgment of said commission shall be

necessary or proper in the performance of its duty. A majority of the commission shall constitute a quorum, but on the order of the commission any one member thereof may conduct any hearing or investigation, hear all evidence adduced at such hearing and report the same to the commission for its consideration and action. The commission shall fix the salaries and compensation of its employes, clerks, engineers, accountants and assistants, and shall have power to employ and retain attorneys to appear for and represent it in any action brought by or against said commission and to fix the compensation to be paid said attorneys.

5. That the Senate recede from Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 4 and in lieu thereof agree to the following:

By striking out of lines 8 and 9 in section 4 the quotation marks and words "Indiana Coal Commission" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "commission."

- 6. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 5, striking out section 5 of the engrossed bill and renumbering the remaining sections consecutively.
- 7. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 6, striking out the words "Indiana coal" where they occur in lines 13 and 14 of section 21.
- 8. That the House agree to Engrossed Senate Amendment No. 7, correcting the spelling of the word "individuals" where it occurs in line 10 of section 23%.
- 9. That Engrossed House Bill No. 597 be further amended by striking out the figure "6" where it occurs in line 16 of section 7 of the printed Engrossed Bill and inserting in lieu thereof the figure "5." Also by striking out the parenthesis and the words "(including coal mined by the commissioners when a mine is seized by the commission)" where they occur in lines 2, 3 and 4 of section 14 of the printed engrossed bill. Also by striking out the words "or appropriate" where they occur in line 9 of section 17. Also by striking out the words "Indiana coal" where they occur in lines 8 and 9 of section 21. Also by renumbering the sections consecutively throughout.
- 10. That the title of Engrossed House Bill No. 597 be amended to read as follows: A bill for an act creating a special coal and food commission, consisting of the members of the State Board of Accounts, prescribing the powers and duties and providing for the organization of said commission; providing for the regulation and fixing of the prices and rates charged for coal mined and sold in the State of Indiana, and the collection of the facts necessary to determine such prices or rates; providing for the licensing of persons engaged in the business of mining coal or selling the same at wholesale or retail within the State; imposing a tonnage license fee on all coal mined in this State; and authorizing an investigation of the high cost of food products, profiteering, hoarding and destroying of food products by wholesalers, retail dealers or individuals engaged in the sale or distribution of food products.

ESTES DUNCAN,
CHARLES BAINUM,
CURTIS MEEKER,
Senators.

Senator McKinley called for a roll call on the adoption of the report of the Conference Committee.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Brown, Dobyns, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, James, Kline, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Maier, Masters, Meeker, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Signs, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Wolfson. Total 28.

Those voting in the negative were:

Arnold, Bracken, Cravens, Decker, Dorrell, Elsner, Hepler, Humphreys, Laney, McCullough. Total 10.

So the report of the committee was concurred in.

Senator Wolfson moved that the Senate do now adjourn until 10:00 o'clock a. m., Wednesday, July 28th, 1920.

Which motion prevailed.

EDGAR D. BUSH, President of the Senate.

WILLIAM M. LOUDEN,

Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

WEDNESDAY MORNING.

July 28, 1920.

The Senate convened at 10 o'clock a. m., Wednesday, July 28th, 1920, with Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Rev. William L. Sanders of Capitol Ave. Methodist Church, Indianapolis, Indiana.

Rolf call for a quorum.

Quorum present.

Lieutenant Governor announced that he had signed House Enrolled Act No. 525.

Senator Wolfson moved that we do now adjourn until 2:00 o'clock p. m. Which motion prevailed.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.

July 28th, 1920.

Senate convened at 2:00 o'clock p. m. with Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Roll call for quorum.

Quorum present.

Senator McKinley moved that when the Senate adjourn that it adjourn until 7:30 p. m.

Which motion prevailed.

The chair announced that he had signed Senate Enrolled Act No. 398.

Senator Negley moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

WEDNESDAY EVENING.

July 28, 1920.

The Senate convened at 7:30 p. m. with Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Roll call for quorum.

Quorum present.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the Governor has approved House Enrolled Acts Nos. 547 and 506 and the same have been deposited with the Secretary of State.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed Senate Bill No. 408 with amendments, and the same is herewith returned to the Senate for concurrence.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

The chair handed down House Bill No. 408 with amendments.

The question being on concurrence by the Senate in the amendments to House Bill No. 408.

Which motion prevailed.

The same was returned to the House for engrossment.

The chair handed down Engrossed Senate Bill No. 416 for enrollment.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am hereby directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has concurred in the Conference Committee Report on Engrossed House Bill No. 509, 597 and 536.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House. The chair announced that he had signed House Enrolled Bill No. 597.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

MB. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed Senate Bill No. 416, and the same is herewith returned to the Senate.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

Senator Kiper moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

EDGAR D. BUSH, President of the Senate.

WILLIAM M. LOUDEN,

Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

THURSDAY MORNING.

July 29th, 1920.

The Senate convened at 10 o'clock Thursday, July 29th, 1920, with Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Vernon Foster, of Christian Church, New Lisbon, Indiana.

Roll call for quorum.

Quorum present.

The Lieutenant Governor announced that he had signed Senate Enrolled Bill No. 416.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Conference Committee, appointed to confer with a like committee from the House upon Engrossed Senate amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 558, respectfully reports that said two committees have met and conferred and have agreed as follows:

That the Senate recede from the several amendments made to Engrossed House Bill No. 558 and that the following amendments be agreed to, reference being made to the Engrossed House Bill.

- 1. By striking out the words "twenty-five" where they occur in line 2 of section 14 and insert in lieu thereof the word "fifty."
- 2. By striking out the figures "25,000" where they occur in line 3, section 14 and insert in lieu thereof the figures "50,000."
- 3. By striking out the words "seventy-five" where they occur in line 5 of section 14 and insert in lieu thereof the words "and fifty."
- 4. By striking out the figures "1,975,000" where they occur in line 5, section 14 and insert in lieu thereof the figures "1,950,000."
 - 5. By striking out the words "Twenty-five" and the figures "25,000"

where they occur in line 9, section 14 and inserting in lieu thereof the word "fifty" and the figures "50,000".

6. By striking out all of paragraph 3, section 14, and inserting in lieu thereof the following paragraph:

"Said appropriation of two million dollars shall be a continuing appropriation and shall be expended in the construction and erection of such structures as are provided for in this act and for any and all other expenses connected therewith or otherwise provided for herein, and any part of such Indiana World War Memorial Fund thereafter remaining shall be used in beautifying and maintaining such memorial place."

- 7. By striking out the words "covered into the general fund of the state" where they occur at the end of paragraph 2 of section 15 and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "Used in beautifying and maintaining said memorial place."
- 8. By creating a new section to be numbered section 16 to read as follows:

Section 16. In the event that squares five (5) and sixteen (16) or any part or parts thereof in the city of Indianapolis, County of Marion, State of Indiana, according to the original plat of said city, shall at any time hereafter be acquired, dedicated and set apart as a memorial ground by the City of Indianapolis or the County of Marion or by such city and county jointly, then the trustees of the Indiana World War Memorial shall have the authority to so develop the memorial place provided for in this act and the structures thereon erected, together with squares twenty-five (25), now known as University square, as to secure a harmonious and unified architectural and aesthetic effect of the entire series of grounds so used and dedicated for memorial purposes.

- 9. By inserting the word "to" after the word "pursuant" where it occurs in line 39 of section 7.
- 10. By renumbering all sections beginning with present section 16 so that section 16 will be section 17; section 17 will be section 18 and so on consecutively to the end of the bill.
- 11. By striking out the word "state" where it occurs in line 21, section 9, and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Indiana."
- 12. By striking out the word "State" where it occurs in line 11, section 8 and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Indiana".
 - 13. By adopting a new title to read as follows:

A BILL FOR AN ACT providing for an Indiana World War Memorial, to be located at Indianapolis, creating a board of trustees, defining its powers and duties, providing for the dedication of certain real estate and interests therein described for memorial purposes, providing for limiting the use and for the control and regulation of real estate contigious thereto, the levying of State taxes and the appropriation of money for use by said Board of Trustees in the erection and maintenance thereon of suitable structures to commemorate the valor and sacrifices of soldiers, sailors and marines of the United States, of all patriotic organizations, and all others who rendered loyal service and made sacrifices at home and overseas in the great World War, and to provide a place or places of meetings and headquarters for organizations of such soldiers, sailors and marines, of

all patriotic organizations, and other, and for public meetings and other public purposes, and exempting the same from taxation, and declaring an emergency.

Tague, James, Bracken,

Senators.

Wood, Benz, Newby,

Representatives.

Which report was concurred in.

Senator Negley moved that the Senate do now adjourn. Which motion prevailed.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

July 29th, 1920.

The Senate convened at 2:00 o'clock p. m. with Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Roll call for quorum.

Quorum present.

Senator Tague moved to reconsider the vote on concurrence in the report of the Conference Committee on Engrossed House Bill No. 558.

Which motion prevailed.

Senator Tague withdrew the report of the Conference Committee and made the following corrections in said report:

In first line of section 16 striking out the words "square twenty-five and the figures 25" and inserting in lieu thereof the words and figures following: "squares five (5) and sixteen (16) or any part or parts thereof."

And in line eight (8) of said section sixteen (16) after the word "erected," by inserting the following: "together with square twenty-five (25), now known as University Square.

Which report of the Conference Committee as amended was then concurred in by the Senate.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has concurred in the Conference Committee report on Engrossed House Bill No. 558.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed House Bill No. 562, and the same is herewith transmitted to the Senate for further action.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT.

MB. PRESIDENT:

Your Conference Committee, appointed to consider Engrossed House Bill No. 511, begs leave to report that they met the House Conference Committee, and in conference agreed and recommended that the Senate recede from its amendment.

NEJDL, STRODE, ARNOLD,

Senators.

Babker, Gibbons, Buller.

Representatives.

Which report was concurred in.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your Conference Committee, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill 598, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report same back to the Senate with the recommendation that the Senate recede from its amendment.

> SMITH, DUFFEY, DORRELL

> > Senators.

OVERMYER, BIDAMAN, DUNN.

Representatives.

Which report was concurred in.

The Chair handed down Engrossed House Bill No. 562 entitled:

A bill for an act to provide for acquisition, improvement, etc., of aviation fields, etc.

Read a first time and referred to Committee on Rights and Privileges.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Rights and Privileges, to which was referred Engrossed House Bill No. 562, has had the same under consideration and

begs leave to report the same back to the Senate, with recommendation that said bill do pass.

Brown, Chairman.

SELF.

FURNAS.

DOBYNS.

McCray.

Which report was concurred in.

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended, and that Engrossed House Bill No. 562 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, third time by sections, and placed upon its passage.

Bowers, Senator.

The question being on the suspension of the rules.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Humphreys, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 34.

None voting in the negative.

So the motion to suspend the rules prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Beardsley, Bowers, Bracken, Decker, Dorrell, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hepler, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Laney, McCray, McKinley, McCullough, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 33.

Kline voting in the negative. Total 1.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of House Bill No. 562 and transmit the same to that body for further action.

Senator English moved that when the Senate adjourn that it adjourn to 8:00 o'clock p. m.

Which motion prevailed.

Senator Wolfson moved that the Senate do now adjourn.
Which motion prevailed.

THURSDAY EVENING.

July 29th, 1920.

The Senate convened at 8:00 o'clock p. m., Thursday, July 29th, 1920, with Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Roll call for a quorum.

Quorum present.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed Senate Bill No. 402, and the same is herewith returned to the Senate.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

Senator Duncan called up Engrossed House Joint Resolution No. 1, entitled:

A Joint Resolution relative to the fees and salaries of county officers and members of the General Assembly.

Section 1. Be it Resolved, by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana, that a commission to prepare a bill relative to the fees and salaries of county officers and members of the General Assembly is hereby created which shall consist of two (2) members of the House to be appointed by the Speaker and two (2) holdover senators to be appointed by the Lieutenant Governor. The members of such commission shall serve without compensation and shall co-operate and work with the State Board of Accounts in preparing the schedules of salaries and fees and a bill for the adjustment of the salaries and fees of the several county officers of this state, and report to the regular session of the General Assembly in 1921.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended, and that Engrossed House Joint Resolution No. 1 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

MEEKER, Senator.

Question being on the suspension of the rules.

The roll was-called. Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 38.

None voting in the negative.

So the motion prevailed.

The question then being upon the resolution.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Bainum, Bowers, Decker, Duncan, Hepler, Hogston, McConaha, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Smith, Tague. Total 14.

Those voting in the negative were:

Arnold, Bracken, Brown, Cravens, Dobyns, Elsner, English, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McCray, McCullough, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Southworth, Strode, Wolfson. Total 24.

So the Joint Resolution failed in its adoption.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your Committee on Judiciary "A", to which was referred Senate Bill No. 395, has had the same under consideration, and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

By inserting in line 10 after the Article "a" and before the word "stockholder" the word "employer" and when so amended that said bill do pass.

McKinley, Chairman.

Which report was concurred in.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended, and that Senate Bill No. 395 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, read third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

Duncan, Senator.

The question being on the suspension of the rules.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Bracken, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 35.

None voting in the negative.

So the motion prevailed.

Senator Duncan called up Senate Bill No. 395 for third reading entitled:

A bill for an act to legalize certain acts of notaries public and declaring an emergency.

Which bill was read a third time by sections and placed upon its passage.

The question being, Shall the bill pass?

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Dobyns, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kiper, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCray, McCullough, McKinley, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 35.

None voting in the negative.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed Senate Bill No. 395, and to transmit the same to that body for further action.

Senator Nejdl offered the following motion and moved its adoption.

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move that the President of the Senate appoint a committee consisting of two Senators to wait upon the Governor and ask him to appear before the Senate tomorrow morning at 10:00 o'clock for the purpose of defining his position with reference to Engrossed House Bills Nos. 514 and 569.

NEJDL, Senator.

Senator Strode moved to lay the motion on the table. Seconded by Senator Tague.

Senator Strode asked that the roll be called.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Bainum, Bowers, Dobyns, Duncan, English, Furnas, Hogston, James, Kiper, Kline, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Masters, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Self, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolson. Total 23.

Those voting in the negative were:

Arnold, Bracken, Brown, Cravens, Decker, Elsner, Hepler, Humphreys, Laney, McCullough, Meeker, Nejdl. Total 12.

So the motion to lay on the table prevailed.

Senator English moved that when the Senate adjourn that it stand 'adjourned until 9:00 o'clock a. m., July 30th, 1920.

Which motion prevailed.

Senator McKinley moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

EDGAR D. BUSH, President of the Senate.

W. M. LOUDEN,

Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

FRIDAY MORNING.

July 30th, 1920.

The Senate convened at 9:00 o'clock a. m., Friday, July 30th, 1920, with Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Prayer was offered by Representative Jinnett of the House.

Roll call for quorum.

Quorum present.

Senator Wolfson moved that Senator Beardsley be excused from the sessions of the Senate for the day.

Which motion prevailed.

The Chair handed down Senate Bill No. 402 entitled:

A bill for an act concerning the payment of the per diem and compensation for preliminary engineering services performed in the construction or repair of highways, as amended by the House.

The question being on the concurrence in the amendments

Which question did not prevail.

The Chair appointed Senators Bainum, Dobyns and Nejdl as a Conference Committee on the part of the Senate.

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move that the constitutional rule requiring all bills be read on three separate days be suspended, and that Engrossed House Bill No. 516 be read the second time by title, considered engrossed, read third time by sections, and placed upon its passage.

LANEY, Senator.

The question being on the suspension of the rules.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, Furnas, Grant, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Kline, Laney, McConaha, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 34.

None voting in the negative.

So the motion prevailed.

The question being on the passage of the bill.

The roll was called.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Arnold, Bainum, Bowers, Bracken, Brown, Decker, Dobyns, Dorrell, Duffey, Duncan, Elsner, English, Furnas, Hagerty, Hepler, Hogston, Humphreys, James, Laney, McCullough, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Negley, Nejdl, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 33.

Those voting in the negative were:

Kline, McConaha. Total 2.

So the bill passed.

The question being, Shall the title of the bill stand as the title of the act?

It was so ordered.

The Secretary was ordered to notify the House of the passage of Engrossed House Bill No. 516 and transmit the same to that body for further action.

Senator English moved that when the Senate adjourned that it adjourn until 3:00 p.m.

Which motion prevailed.

Senator Negley moved that the Senate do now adjourn.

Which motion prevailed.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON.

July 30, 1920.

The Senate convened at 3:00 p.m. with Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Roll call for a quorum.

Quorum present.

Senator English moved that the Senate recess until 4:00 o'clock p. m. Which motion prevailed.

Senate convened at 4:00 o'clock p. m. with Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

Senator English moved that when the Senate adjourn that it adjourns until 8:00 o'clock p. m.

Which motion prevailed.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has concurred in the Conference Committee Report on Engrossed House Bill No. 511.

JOHN W. THIEL,
Principal Clerk of the House.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has concurred in the Conference Report on Engrossed House Bill No. 598.

JOHN W. THIEL,

Principal Clerk of the House.

The Chair announced that he had signed House Enrolled Act No. 558 and Senate Enrolled Act 408.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Conference Committee of three appointed to confer with a like committee from the House on the amendments to Senate Bill No. 402 submits the following report and moves its adoption:

In section one (1) line two (2) of the engrossed bill after the word "perform" by striking out the words "either heretofore or hereafter," and inserting in lieu thereof the following words and figures: "from and after January 1st, 1920, or any time hereafter," also by striking out the colon after the word "appropriation" in line nine (9) section one (1) of the engrossed bill and inserting in lieu thereof a semi-colon and the following: "also all other expenses incident to the petition for and the establishment of such highways which may have been incurred from and after January 1st, 1920, or shall hereafter be incurred during the period up to the filing of such supplemental report shall be paid from the same fund and in like manner."

CHARLES A. BAINUM, L. P. DOBYNS. JAMES J. NEJDL. HOWARD A. CANN. C. E. DAVIS. BARKEB OF POSEY.

Senator English moved that the Senate do now adjourn. Which motion prevailed.

FRIDAY EVENING.

July 30, 1920.

The Senate convened at 8:00 o'clock p. m., with Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush in the chair.

The roll was called. A quorum present.

SENATE RESOLUTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption: That the President of the Senate is hereby ordered to draw his warrant for \$50.00 in favor of Roscoe C. Shultz, Superintendent of State House, for extra chairs furnished the Senate last session by Flanner & Buchanan.

GRANT, Senator.

Which resolution was unanimously adopted.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Conference Committee on Engrossed House Bill No. 569 begs leave to submit the following report and move its adoption: That they have met with a like committee appointed by the Speaker of the House and that your committee and said committee from the House, after conferring on said bill have agreed to report the same back to the Senate and House with the following recommendations:

- · 1. That Senate Amendment No. 1 be amended as follows: By striking out of said amendment the word "six" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "five."
- 2. That Senate amendments numbers 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 be not concurred in.
- That section 3 be amended as follows: By striking out all of section 3 after the period following the figures "200" in line 2 of said section 3 and inserting in lieu thereof the following words: "The several tax levies shall be established by the proper legal officers of any municipal corporation after the formulation and publication by them of a budget or forms prescribed by the State Board of Accounts, showing in detail the money proposed to be expended during the succeeding year, the valuation of all taxable property within the jurisdiction and rate of taxation which it is proposed to establish, and after a public hearing within the jursidiction at which any tax payer shall have a right to be heard thereon. notice by publication of such budget and of such public hearing in two newspapers of opposite political parties published in such district or in one such paper if only one be there published, or in case no newspaper is there published, then, the same shall be published in any two newspapers representing the two leading political parties, published in the county and having a general circulation in such taxing unit, and by posting such notice in three public places in such taxing district, shall be required. The several tax levies as established by the proper legal officers of any municipal corporation and as reported by the County Auditor to the State Board of Tax Commissioners, as provided for in section 197 and 199 of this act, shall stand as the tax levies of such municipal corporation for the year next succeeding for the purposes set out in the report of the County Auditor as certified to the State Board of Tax Commissioners, subject to the right of appeal therefrom to the County Council of the county in which such municipal corporation is located. Any number of tax payers, not less than twenty, of any municipal corporation, and who are affected by such levies, and who may be of the opinion that the total tax levy or any item thereof as established by the proper legal officers of such municipal corporation and certified to the State Board of Tax Commissioners is insufficient to yield the revenue necessary to meet the requirements of such municipality, or that more revenue will be raised by the tax levy as established then the requirements of government, economically administered, warrant, may file a petition with the County Auditor of the county in which such municipal corporation is located, not later than the first day of October, setting forth a showing, in such form and detail as the State Board of Tax Commissioners may prescribe and require, that a necessity exists for an increase or decrease in the total tax levy or any item thereof, as the case may be. Upon the filing of any such petition, such County Council shall have power to order an increase or a decrease in the total tax levy or any item thereof of any municipal corporation upon a proper showing and upon the submis-

sion of sufficient evidence, upon hearing, showing that such increase or reduction is warranted, and such hearing shall be held by such County Council in the court house of the county in which such municipal corporation is -located. In case any such reduction or increase is made by such County Council after hearing or petition therefor, such County Council shall notify its action in that respect to the Auditor of the county affected thereby, who shall certify such action to the taxing unit or units interested therein: Provided, That the action of such County Council in ordering or denying an increase or reduction of any tax levy shall be final and conclusive: Provided, further, That if any such appeal or appeals be filed in any year with such County Auditor, such County Auditor shall within two days after the filing of such appeal or appeals give notice of the same to the several members of such County Council. And if any such appeal or appeals be so filed and such County Council be so notified of the same, such County Council shall meet on the 10th day of October of said year, unless said day falls on Sunday, then in that case on the Monday following, at the court house of the county in which said municipal corporation is located, and hear and consider such appeal or appeals, and shall continue in session from day to day, until it shall have rendered its decision on such appeal or appeals. All hearings of such County Council on such appeal or appeals shall be public. For their services while sitting in session on such appeal or appeals, the several members of such County Council shall be paid the sum of five dollars per day each while so engaged. Said Council shall, for the purposes set forth in this section of this act, have the same powers relative to the summoning of witnesses to give testimony in such appeal cases, and the same powers for punishing those who fail to appear and testify in such cases when properly summoned as now possessed by the circuit courts of this State."

- 5. That Senate amendments numbers 14, 15, 16 and 17 be not concurred in.
- 6. That section 4 be amended as follows: By striking out all of section 4 after the period following the figure "201" in line 2 of said section 4 and inserting in lieu thereof the following words and figures: "After January 21, 1921, any municipal corporation, through its proper legal officers, may issue such bonds or other evidences of indebtedness as it may deem necessary. In the event that the proper legal officers of any municipal corporation shall determine to issue any bonds or other evidences of indebtedness exceeding ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), notice of such determination shall be given by publication for two weeks in two leading newspapers of opposite political parties published in such district, or in one such paper if only one be there published, or in case no newspaper is there published, then, the same shall be published in any two newspapers representing the two leading political parties, published in the county and having a general circulation in such taxing unit, and by posting such notice in three public places in such taxing district. Any number of tax payers, not less than twenty of such municipal corporations and who will be affected by the issuance of such bonds or other evidences of indebtedness, and who may be of the opinion that such bonds or other evidences of indebtedness should not be issued, or that the proposed issue is excessive and will

produce a greater amount of revenue than the requirements of the government economically administered, warrant, or that the proposed issue is insufficient to meet the requirements of such municipality, may file a petition in the office of the county auditor of the county in which such municipal corporation is located, within fifteen days after the issuance of such bonds or other evidences of indebtedness shall have been determined upon by such municipal corporation, setting forth the facts showing why such bonds or other evidences of indebtedness should not be issued, or that the proposed issue is excessive or insufficient as the case may be. Notice of filing of such petition and of the time and place of hearing thereon, shall be given by the proper legal officers of such municipal corporation after the time and place have been fixed by such county auditor to the tax payers of the taxing district to be affected by such issue, by publication for two weeks prior to such hearing in two leading newspapers of opposite political parties, published in such district, or in one such paper if only one be there published, or in case no newspaper is there published, then, the same shall be published in any two newspapers representing the two leading political parties, published in the county and having a general circulation in such taxing unit and by posting such notice in three public places in such taxing district. Public hearing thereon shall be held by the county council of the county in which such municipal corporation is located at the court house of said county. On the hearing of such petition, if it appears that a necessity exists for the issuance of such bonds or other evidences of indebtedness such county council shall approve the issuance thereof, either as determined upon by the proper legal officers of such municipal corporation or with such modifications or upon such conditions as may be deemed just and proper. If, on such hearing, it shall appear that such bonds or other evidences of indebtedness ought not to be issued, such county council shall so declare, and such bonds or other evidences of indebtedness shall not be issued. All such bonds or other evidences of indebtedness so issued under any order of such council shall be incontestible, except for fraud, forgery or for excess of the constitutional limitation: Provided, however, That such county council shall meet if notified by such auditor as provided for in section 3 of this act. on the first Monday of the month for the purpose of considering appeals provided for in this section of this act and shall continue in session from day to day until such appeals are determined, and for their services in attending such sessions, as provided for in this section, each member of such county council shall receive a per diem of five dollars (\$5.)"

- 7. Insert the word "been" after the word "have" in section 1, line 117.
- 8. That when so amended said bill be passed.
- 9. Reference being made to the engrossed printed bill.

WILL BROWN.

ALFRED HOGSTON.

JOHN S. ALLDREDGE.

C. C. MENDENHALL.

D. A. ROTHBOCK,

CLINTON GIVAN.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has concurred in the Conference Committee Report on Engrossed Senate Bill No. 402.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

MR. PRESIDENT:

Your Conference Committee, appointed to confer with a like committee of the House upon Engrossed Senate Amendments to Engrossed House Bill No. 514 respectfully reports that said committee has met, conferred and has agreed as follows:

By striking out all of said bill after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

That within ten days after the taking effect of this act, the State Board of Tax Commissioners shall meet in special session, reconsider and review its order, dated August 23, 1919, relating to the equalization of the aggregate assessments of the various counties, townships, and other taxing units of the State, and without delay certify its conclusions to the auditors of the several counties of the State wherein any township or other taxing unit was or will be affected by the horizontal raise of assessments contained in said orders.

Section 2. That upon receipt of said certified conclusions provided for in section 1 of this Act, by the county auditor, he shall immediately convene the County Board of Review to be composed of the County Assessor, County Auditor, County Treasurer, and two free-holders of opposite political parties to be appointed by the judge of the Circuit Court and qualified as now provided by law; and for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act, the judge of the Circuit Court shall, as now required by law, forthwith appoint said two free-holders to serve upon said Board of Review; and said county board of review shall proceed to review and equalize the assessments on the property in said several townships and other taxing units for taxing purposes for the year 1919, and certify the same to the State Board of Tax Commissioners in the manner now required by law. Said county board of review shall continue in session so long as may be necessary to properly discharge its duties, not exceeding ten days. Thereupon the State Board of Tax Commissioners shall immediately proceed with the equalization of assessments as between the several counties of the State, both as to personal property and real estate, and shall make orders equalizing such assessments, and immediately thereafter certify such orders to the auditor of each of the counties of the State. After such assessments and equalization of assessments have been made as aforesaid, the said County Boards of Review shall ascertain the amount of taxes, if any, which should be refunded to any taxpayer by reason of such assessment and equalization, and cause . the same to be entered on the tax duplicates, and a proper order shall be issued and a warrant drawn for repayment of same to such taxpayer.

SECTION 3. Whenever, by virtue of final taxing judgment of a court or otherwise, the assessment value of property in any taxing unit shall have been materially decreased, as a result of which it shall be necessary in such unit to increase the levies for the year 1919 under the provisions of this act, and such decrease is not applicable to assessments made by the State Board of Tax Commissioners in the exercise of its original or appellate jurisdiction, said State Board of Tax Commissioners is hereby authorized, empowered and directed, upon proper showing of the facts by petition filed with it, within sixty days after the taking effect of the Act, to equalize the assessments so made by said State Board of Tax Commissioners for the year 1919, with the assessment of other property in such taxing unit of which the assessed value has been decreased, and the amounts resulting from such local authorities and become the basis for the levies heretofore made by the State Board of Tax Commissioners have been paid, the amount paid in excess of the taxes which would have been paid or payable on the valuation of such property as so equalized, shall be refunded by the county treasurer on warrant drawn by the county auditor or credited against any taxes yet unpaid for the year 1919, whether such excess was paid under protest or not.

Section 4. Whenever by reason of reduction of assessments or refund of money, as now set forth, and provided for in this act, the revenues of any taxing unit shall be so impaired as not to enable it to complete the fiscal year without a deficit, such taxing units shall have authority not-withstanding any other law to the contrary, to effect a temporary loan to extend not more than one year for the purpose of meeting such deficit, at not to exceed seven per cent (7%) per annum.

Section 5. Whenever by reason of the refund of money to taxpayers or assessment of property for taxation as provided for in this act the revenue of any taxing unit shall be materially impaired, the proper taxing officials may, and they are hereby authorized and empowered to increase all levies for the year 1919, other than State levies, in such unit, in such percentage as will produce as nearly as may be the same amount of revenue for all local purposes, as would have been produced by the original local levies.

Section 6. The State Board of Tax Commissioners is hereby empowered, in its discretion, to increase at any time within sixty days after the taking effect of this act any or all state levies heretofore fixed by the State Board of Tax Commissioners throughout the State for the year 1919, as the needs of the State may require; but no levy for State or local purposes shall, in the making of such increases as are authorized by this section or any other part of this act, exceed the statutory limit now provided by law for such levies, respectively. It is hereby made the duty of all taxing officials within the State to comply with the provisions of this act and to carry out the orders of the proper officers made in the performance of the duties and powers hereby imposed.

Section 7. All assessments, levies and orders of equalizations of property for taxation heretofore made pursuant to any existing law pursuant to this act are hereby validated, and made effectual as of March 1, 1919.

Section 8. All bonds and securities, heretofore issued pursuant to and in conformity with any existing law, by any taxing unit, to provide for

the construction, maintenance or repair of any public improvement, and which were based upon the assessment of property for taxation heretofore made for the year 1919, are hereby legalized.

Section 9. For any extra services required to carry out the provisions of this act, the members of the county board of review of the several counties shall be entitled to receive five dollars (\$5) per day for each day actually in attendance thereon. In addition to their per diem as members of the county boards of review, the county auditors and county treasurers of the several counties shall be entitled to receive, as compensation for such extra services as are required to carry out by the provisions of this act, a sum of not more in the aggregate of one-tenth of their present salaries, as fixed by law, to be paid at such times and in such amounts as shall be determined by the board of county commissioners. The county councils of the several counties shall make the necessary appropriations to pay such per diem and compensation as is contemplated in this section.

Section 10. This act shall be deemed supplemental legislation only. Section 11. This act shall be known and referred to as the Tuthill-Kiper Act.

Section 12. An emergency is hereby declared to exist for the immediate taking effect of this act, and the same shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

By amending the title of said bill so as to read as follows: "A bill for an act concerning taxation, legalizing and validating certain assessments of property for taxation resulting from equalization orders made by the State Board of Tax Commissioners and the county board of review in the year 1919; providing for the payment of excess taxes to overassessed taxpayers, authorizing the several taxing units of the State to effect temporary loans to meet deficits in the public revenue occasioned by reassessment of property for taxation and overassessed taxes and the refunding of excess taxes; authorizing an increase in the State and local tax levies for the year 1919 if necessary, by reason of the reassessment of property for taxation and the repayment of overassessed taxes, legalizing bonds and securities based upon assessments of property for the year 1919; providing payment for the services of certain officers and declaring an emergency."

WILLIAM E. ENGLISH,
R. M. SOUTHWORTH,
THOS. GRANT,
Senate Conferees.
HARRY TUTHILL,
E. T. LAUGHLIN,
OLIVER DUNN,
HOUSE CONFERES.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed Engrossed Senate Bill No. 415 and the same is herewith returned to the Senate.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House. The roll was called on the report of the Conference Committee on Engrossed House Bill No. 514.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Alldredge, Bainum, Bowers, Brown, Dobyns, Duffey, Duncan, English, Furnas, Grant, Hogston, James, Kiper, Kline, McConaha, McCray, McKinley, Masters, Meeker, Metzger, Munton, Negley, Nejdl, Ratts, Self, Smith, Southworth, Strode, Tague, Wolfson. Total 30.

Those voting in the negative were: Arnold, Bracken, Decker, Dorrell, Elsner, Hagerty, Hepler, Humphreys, Laney, McCullough. Total 10. So the report was adopted.

The Governor announced that he had signed House Enrolled Acts No. 562, 516, 598, 511 and Senate Act 402.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has concurred in the Conference Committee Report on Engrossed House Bill No. 514.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has concurred in the Conference Committee report on Engrossed House Bill No. 569.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has failed to pass Engrossed Senate Bill No. 383 and the same is herewith returned to the Senate.

JOHN W. THIEL, Principal Clerk of the House.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has failed to pass Engrossed Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 13 and the same is herewith returned to the Senate.

JOHN W. THIEL, 'Principal Clerk of the House.

Senator Metzger addressed the Senate and presented Lieutenant Governor Bush with a set of books: The Life of John Marshall by Albert J. Beveridge and the Adventures of Tom Sawyer by Mark Twain.

Response from Lieutenant Governor Bush.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE.

Mr. President:

I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has

passed Engrossed Senate Bill No. 412 and the same is herewith returned to the Senate.

John W. Thiel, Principal Clerk of the House.

SENATE MOTION.

MR. PRESIDENT:

I move that the following be read and spread on record.

LANEY, Senator.

Lieutenant Governor Edgar D. Bush.

Mr. President:

For the past three and one-half years and especially during the sixtyone days of the 71st session of the General Assembly; as well as the two special sessions, the calcium light of observation and publicity has been turned full and fair upon you. The sharper and the brighter the light the more it has served to reveal those sterling qualities of mind and heart that has given you a place among the greatest men of your state today.

We, the members of the Senate of the 71st General Assembly of the State of Indiana and the two special sessions thereof have the fervent hope that it will be many, many years before the shades of night begin to fall around you; and when they do, we know that their gloom will be mellowed and softened by the golden glow that radiates from the halo that surrounds and glorifies the life of a true, patriotic, liberty-loving citizen.

You are a man of just principles; you are like unto an exhaustless fountain in a vast desert; like a glorious sun shining ever, dispelling the vestige of darkness. There is love animating your heart, breathing sympathy in every tone. Tears of pity—dew drops of the soul, gather in your eyes, and gush impetuously down your cheek. Beneath your smile lurks no degrading passions. Within your heart there slumbers no guile. You are not exalted in moral pride, not elevated in your own views. You are honest, moral and virtuous before the world. You stand throned on truth; your fortress is wisdom, and your dominion is a vast and limitless world. You are upright, kind and sympathizing; always attached to just principles, in behalf of the peoples' interest and are actuated by the same. You are governed by the highest motives in doing good.

You are of the class of men who choose honesty and fair dealing as a soul companion. You live in it, and with it, and by it. You embody it in your actions and life. Your words speak it. Your face beams it. Your actions proclaim it. Your hands are true to it. Your feet tread its path. You are full of it. You love it. It is to you like a God. With religious law you obey its behests. Not gold, or crown, or fame, could bribe you to leave it. You are wedded to it from choice. It is your first love. You belong to the class of men among whom God looks for his jewels. He keeps his angels employed in making crowns for such as you, and you are of the class that make crowns for themselves, crowns of honesty and fair dealing. To some men they may not seem very beautiful in the dim light of the earth, but when the radiance of heaven is opened upon them, they will reflect it in gorgeous splendor. Nothing is brighter, nothing is better, nothing

is worth more, or more substantial. Honesty is a peerless queen of principles, how her smile enhalos the men who love her.

I do not know what mantles of glory may be woven for you, in the loom of the years to come. I do not know to what extent you may assist in shaping the destinies of your state. I do not know what fate may have in store for you. I do know that your efforts in behalf of the Common People will live on and on, and that it will not be without its reward. I do know that, when your enemies shall have passed to dust, unforgotten, that your efforts will live on forever, glorious in their achievements. I do know that your star has not reached its zenith, but that it will become brighter and brighter and at last be transplanted until Eternity's dawn.

Then we tonight will plant on the silent shores of memory in your honor, images and precious thoughts that can not die and will not be destroyed.

LANEY, Senator.

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

I move that the President of the Senate appoint a committee of two to make inquiry of the House as to the status of the Marion County and Indianapolis Memorial Bills.

BRACKEN, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

The Chair appointed Senators McKinley and Decker.

The Chair appointed Senators Negley and Elsner a committee to call on the House to notify them that we are ready to adjourn.

SENATE MOTION.

Mr. President:

Since it has just been reported to the President of this Senate that Senator Hagerty has been taken suddenly ill, and moved to a Hospital, I move you that this Senate extend to Senator Hagerty its most sincere sympathy, and the hope of every member that he may have a speedy recovery to the best of health.

NEGLEY, Senator.

Which motion prevailed.

Lieutenant Governor Bush announced that he had signed Senate Enrolled Act No. 415.

SENATE RESOLUTION.

Mr. President:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption: That the sum of nineteen dollars (\$19.00) be allowed to Harry N. Styner, William M. Louden and Zell C. Swain each for extra expenses paid out by them for work in the Senate.

GRANT, Senator.

Which resolution was adopted.

COMMITTEE REPORT.

Mr. President:

Your committee on employing assistants and incurring indebtedness begs leave to report that there are now and have been in the employ of the Senate, in the position and at the compensation indicated, the following named persons:

Thomas Barr, Registry Clerk\$5.00 per	day
Edward W. Tech, Minute Clerk 5.00 per	day
C. S. Phillips, File Clerk	day
Zell C. Swain, Roll Clerk 5.00 per	day
A. B. Hanson, Endorsing Clerk 5.00 per	day
Clara McCampbell, Bookkeeper 5.00 per	day
Norma Winscott, Chief Stenographer 5.00 per	day
Marie Backmeyer, Stenographer 5.00 per	day
Margaret Walsh, Stenographer 5.00 per	day
Gertrude C. Green, Engrossing Clerk 5.00 per	day
Emma Coulter, Engrossing Clerk 5.00 per	day
Ethelbert G. Thompson, Engrossing Clerk 5.00 per	day
George Haas, Jr., Engrossing Clerk 5.00 per	day
John W. McCabe, Engrossing Clerk 5.00 per	day
Lotus Brown, Engrossing Clerk 5.00 per	day
Roy Baker, Journal Clerk 5.00 per	day
J. F. Ale, Journal Clerk 5.00 per	day
H. G. Calligan, Journal Clerk 5.00 per	day
William Moore, Journal Clerk 5.00 per	day
Grant Plankenship, Doorkeeper 5.00 per	day
Orion Peed, Doorkeeper 5.00 per	day
W. E. Wycoff, Doorkeeper 5.00 per	day
A. R. Royster, Doorkeeper 5.00 per	day
George H. Graham, Postmaster 5.00 per	day
Mrs. George H. Graham, Assistant Postmaster 3.00 per	day
Robert J. Shultz, Page 2.00 per	
Charles J. Bainum, Page 2.00 per	day
James McMillan, Page 2.00 per	day
Russell Clift, Page 2.00 per	day
Mrs. E. Harvey, Journal Clerk 5.00 per	
Martha Shields, Journal Clerk 5.00 per	day
EDGAR D. BUSH, President.	
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HARRY N. STYNER, Principal Secretary.	
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WILLIAM M. LOUDEN, Assistant Secretary.			
By per diem	•		
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July 30, Warrant No. 919	•		8 00
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JEROME BROWN, Principal Doorkeeper.			
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JOHN S. ALLDREDGE, Senator.	•	•	
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WILLIAM A. ARNOLD, Senator.			
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CHARLES A. BAINUM, Senator.			
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ANDREW BEARDSLEY, Senator.	-	•	
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WILLIAM E. BOWERS, Senator.	•		
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WILL BROWN, Senator.	·
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JOS. M. CRAVENS, Senator.	
By per diem\$114 00	
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July 24, Warrant No. 807	\$34 80
July 30, Warrant No. 917	114 00
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JOHN F. DECKER, Senator.	
By per diem\$114 00	
By mileage 39 60	
July 23, Warrant No. 808	\$117 60
July 30, Warrant No. 913	36 00
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LEM P. DOBYNS, Senator.	
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THOMAS DORRELL, Senator.	
By per diem\$114 00	
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July 20, Warrant No. 810	\$ 119 60
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MAURICE DOUGLASS, Senator.	
By per diem\$114 00	
By mileage 17 60	
July 24, Warrant No. 811	\$95 60
July 30, Warrant No. 946	36 00
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LUKE W. DUFFEY, Senator.				
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July 29, Warrant No. 815			\$108	00
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ESTES DUNCAN, Senator.				
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EDWARD P. ELSNER, Senator.		•		
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WILLIAM E. ENGLISH, Senator.				
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July 30, Warrant No. 816			\$114	00
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CHARLES E. ERSKINE, Senator.				
By per diem	\$114	00		
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	\$182	00	\$182	00
MILES J. FURNAS, Senator.				
By per diem	\$114	00		
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July 19, Warrant No. 817			\$70	80
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THOMAS GRANT, Senator.				
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CHARLES E. HAGERTY, Senator.				
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GEORGE Y. HEPLER, Senator.				
By per diem		00		
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July 24, Warrant No. 820	•		\$ 137	
July 30, Warrant No. 923	• .		36	00
•	\$173	60	\$173	60
ALBERT HOGSTON, Senator.				
By per diem	. \$114	00		
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JAMES H. HUMPHREYS, Senator.				
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EDWARD B. JAMES, Senator.				
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ROSCOE KIPER, Senator.	•			
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July 21, Warrant No. 824			\$121	60
July 30, Warrant No. 894			72	00
				
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OLIVER KLINE, Senator.				
By per diem	. \$114	00		
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July 24, Warrant No. 825			\$122	
July 30, Warrant No. 925	•		34	00
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JACOB C. KOLSEM, Senator.	
By per diem\$114 00	
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July 30, Warrant No. 826	\$143 20
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GEORGE L, LANEY, Senator.	
By per diem\$114 00	
. By mileage	
July 30, Warrant No. 827	\$140 00
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WALTER McCONAHA, Senator.	
By per diem\$114 00	
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July 30, Warrant No. 828	\$141 20
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FRANKLIN McCRAY, Senator.	
By per diem\$114 00	
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WILLIAM McCULLOUGH, Senator.	
By per diem	
By mileage 81 20	
July 30, Warrant No. 830	\$123 20
July 30, Warrant No. 886	72 00
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ARTHUR D. McKINLEY, Senator.	•
By per diem\$114 00	
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July 30, Warrant No. 831	\$64 00
July 24, Warrant No. 926	72 00
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PAUL MAIER, Senator.	•
By per diem\$48 00	
By mileage 74 40	
July 24, Warrant No. 799	\$92 40
July 30, Warrant No. 920	30 00
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J. FRED MASTERS, Senator.	
By per diem\$114 00	
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July 30, Warrant No. 833	\$148 00
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EDGAR F. METZGER, Senator.	
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CLARENCE J. MUNTON, Senator.	
By per diem\$114 00	
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July 30, Warrant No. 835	\$178 00
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HARRY E. NEGLEY, Senator.	
By per diem\$114 00	
July 30, Warrant No. 836	\$114 00

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JAMES J. NEJDL, Senator.	
By per diem\$114 00	
By mileage 68 00	
July 30, Warrant No. 837	\$ 182 00
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OSCAR RATTS, Senator.	
By per diem\$114 00	
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July 29, Warrant No. 838	\$148 80
July 30, Warrant No. 935	6 00
	
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FRANK H. SELF, Senator.	
By per diem\$114 00	
By mileage 56 00	
July 30, Warrant No. 839	\$170 00

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CHARLES O. SIGNS, Senator.	
By per diem 63 00	
By mileage 40 00	
July 27, Warrant No. 840	\$103 00
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OSCAR S. SMITH, Senator.				
By per diem	.\$114	00		
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July 21, Warrant No. 841	•		\$92	00
July 30, Warrant No. 895	•		72	00
	\$ 164	00	\$164	00
RAY M. SOUTHWORTH, Senator.				
By per diem	.\$114	00		
By mileage	. 27	20		
July 24, Warrant No. 842			\$105	20
July 30, Warrant No. 928	•		36	00
	\$141	20	\$141	20
DON P. STRODE, Senator.				
By per diem	.\$114	00		
By mileage	. 24	40		
July 24, Warrant No. 843		•	\$102	40
July 30, Warrant No. 929			36	00
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	\$ 138	40	\$138	40
CECIL C. TAGUE, Senator.				
By per diem	. \$114	00		
By mileage		20		
July 20, Warrant No. 844			\$ 75	
July 30, Warrant No. 887	•		72	00
	\$147	20	\$147	20
AARON WOLFSON, Senator.				
By per diem	\$114	00		
July 29, Warrant No. 845	•		\$108	00
July 30, Warrant No. 939	•		6	00
-	\$114	00	\$114	00
Total per diem and mileage of Senators			\$6,930	40
Per diem of Edgar D. Bush, President of Senate			152	00
Per diem of Harry N. Styner, Principal Secretary			114	00
Per diem of William M. Louden, Assistant Secretary			114	00
Per diem of Jerome Brown, Principal Doorkeeper			114	
Per diem of George H. Graham, Postmaster			95	
Per diem of Mrs. George H. Graham, Assistant Postm			57	
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Per diem of employees of Doorkeeper			380	
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Allowance to Principal Secretary for postage, flowers, adding machine, typewriting machines, tables, telephones, telegrams and all incidental expenses, as per resolution............

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EDGAR D. BUSH, President of the Senate.

HARRY N. STYNER, Secretary of the Senate.

Senator Negley moved that the Senate do now adjourn sine die.

Which motion prevailed.

EDGAR D. BUSH, President of the Senate.

WILLIAM M. LOUDEN,
Assistant Secretary of the Senate.

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Lieutenant Governor and President EDGAR D. BUSH.

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HARRY E. NEGLEY

Secretary .

HARRY N. STYNER.

Assistant Secretary
WILLIAM M. LOUDEN

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JEROME BROWN

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Bookkeeper

CLARA McCAMPBELL

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EMMA COULTER
ETHELBERT G. THOMPSON
GEORGE HAAS, Jr.
JOHN W. McCABE
LOTUS BROWN

Senate Postmaster
GEORGE H. GRAHAM

Chief Stenographers

NORMA WINSCOTT MARIE BACKMEYER MARGARET WALSH

MEMBERS OF THE SENATE, SECOND SPECIAL SESSION, SEVENTY-FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY 1920 (Convened on July 12th and adjourned on July 30th)

NAME	Politics	Address	County
Alldredge, John S	Republican.	Anderson	Henry, Madison and Tipton.
Arnold, William A	Democrat	Salem	Floyd and Washington.
Bainum, Charles A	Republican.	Vincennes	Knox and Pike.
Beardsley, Andrew H	Republican.	Elkhart	Elkhart.
Bowers, William E	Republican.	New Haven	Allen.
Bracken, Robert	Democrat	Frankfort	Boone and Clinton.
Brown, William	Republican	Hebron	Jasper, Lake, Newton and Porter.
Cravens, Joseph M.	Democrat	Madison	Dearborn, Jefferson, Ohio and Switzerland
Decker, John F	Democrat	Bluffton	Adams, Blackford and Wells.
Dobyns, Lem P	Republican	Greensburg	Decatur, Hancock and Rush.
Dorrell, Thomas	Democrat	Greenwood, R. R. 19	Brown, Johnson and Monroe.
Douglass, Maurice.	Democrat	Flat Rock	Bartholomew and Shelby.
Duffey, Luke W	Republican	Indianapolis	Marion.
Duncan, Estes	Republican.	Cloverdale	Montgomery and Putnam.
Elsner, Edward P	Democrat	Seymour	Clarke, Jackson and Scott.
English, William E.	Republican	Indianapolis	Hamilton, Hendricks and Marion.
Erskine, Charles A	Democrat	Evansville	
Furnas, Miles J	Republican		Vanderburgh.
Grant, Thomas	Republican	Lynn	Jay and Randolph.
			Lake.
Hagerty, Charles A.	Democrat	South Bend	St. Joseph and Marshall.
Hepler, George Y	Democrat	South Bend	St. Joseph.
Hogston, Alfred	Republican	Marion	Grant.
Humphreys, James H.	Democrat	Linton	Green and Eullivan.
James, Edward B	Republican	Dana	Fountain, Vermillion and Warren.
Kiper, Roscoe	Republican	Boonville	Vanderburgh and Warrick.
Kline, Oliver	Republican	Huntington	Huntington and Whitley.
Kolsem, Jacob C	Democrat	Terre Haute	Vigo.
Laney, George L	Democrat	Rockville	Parke and Vigo.
McConaha, Walter.	Republican	Richmond	Fayette and Wayne.
McCray, Franklin	Republican	Indianapolis	Marion.
McCullough, Wm. A.	Democrat	Rockport	Daviess, Dubois and Spencer.
McKinley, Arthur D	Republican	Muncie	Delaware.
Maier, Paul	Republican	Griffin	Gibson and Posey.
Masters, J. Fred	Republican	Indianapolis	Marion.
Meeker, Curtis D	Republican	Monticello	Carroll, Pulaski and White.
Metzger, Edgar F	Republican	Logansport	Cass and Fulton.
Munton, Charles J	Republican	Kendallville	Lagrange, Noble and Steuben.
Negley, Harry E	Republican	Indianapolis	Marion.
Nejdl, James	Republican	Whiting	Lake.
Ratts, Oscar	Republican	Paoli	Lawrence, Martin and Orange.
Self, Frank H	Republican	Corydon	Crawford, Harrison and Perry.
Signs, Charles O	Republican	North Manchester	Kosciusko and Wabash.
Smith, Osear B	Republican	Knox	Laporte and Starke.
Southworth, Ray M	Republican	West Lafayette	Benton and Tippecanoe.
Strode, Donald P	Republican	Kokomo	Howard and Miami.
Tague, Cecil C		Brookville	Franklin, Jenn ings, Ripley and Union.
Wolfson, Aaron	Rerublican	Indianapolis	Marion.

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Agriculture

Senators Signs, Duncan, Grant, Maier, Hogston, Dorrell, Douglass.

Banks, Trust Companies and Savings Associations

Senators Ratts, Smith, Negley, Nejdl, Hepler, Humphreys.

Benevolent Institutions

Senators Duncan, Munton, Strode, Kline, Smith, Cravens, Douglass.

Cities and Towns

Senators Metzger, Brown, Alldredge, English, Kiper, Erskine, Kolsem.

City of Indianapolis

Senators McCray, Masters, English, Negley, Wolfson, Duffey, Dorrell.

Claims and Expenditures

Senators Bowers, Wolfson, Hudgins, Meeker, McKinley, Van Auken, Hepler.

Congressional Apportionment

Senators Self, Strode, Tague, Dobyns, Bainum, Southworth, Munton, Duncan, Masters, Kline, Retherford, Erskine, Hagerty.

Constitutional Revision

Senators English, McConaha, Strode, Maier, Meeker, Hepler, Cravens.

Corporations .

Senators Meeker, Beardsley, Grant, Bowers, Munton, Duffey, Erskine, Kolsem, Hagerty.

County and Township Business

Senators Southworth, Grant, Signs, Alldredge, Metzger, James, Kiper, Arnold, McCullough, Laney, Humphreys.

Criminal Code

Senators Hogston, Negley, Smith, McKinley, Masters, McCullough, Hagerty.

Education

Senators Kline, Signs, Maier, Duncan, Brown, Humphreys, Laney.

Elections

Senators, Dobyns, Beardsley, Meeker, Tague, Furnas, Ratts, Elsner, Bracken.

Employing Assistants and Incurring Indebtedness

Senators Self, Grant, McCray, Bush.

Executive Appointments

Senators Beardsley, Duffey, Nejdl, Munton, Wolfson, Bracken, Douglass.

Federal Relations

Senators McCray, Maier, McKinley, Alldredge, Dobyns, Arnold, Decker.

Fees and Salaries

Senators Smith, Signs, Grant, Self, Tague, Hepler, Elsner.

Finance

Senators McConaha, Southworth, Furnas, Signs, Ratts, Self, Cravens, Hepler, Douglass.

Insurance

Senators Grant, Self, McConaha, Southworth, Ratts, Alldredge, Hagerty, Douglass, Van Auken.

Judiciary A

Senators *McKinley*, Masters, Strode, Negley, Hogston, James, English, Beardsley, Cravens, McCullough, Decker.

Judiciary B

Senators Ratts, Smith, Kiper, Tague, Bainum, McCray, Furnas, Nejdl, Van Auken, Hagerty, Elsner.

Labor

Senators *Hudgins*, Grant, Southworth, McCray, Bainum, Laney, Humphreys.

Legislative Apportionment

Senators Furnas, Strode, Kiper, Self, Hogston, Munton, Masters, Nejdl, James, Smith, McConaha, Bainum, Dobyns.

Manufacturers

Senators Munton, Wolfson, Brown, Duncan, Bowers, Erskine, Douglass.

Mileage and Accounts

Senators Nejdt, Smith, Dorrell.

Military Affairs

Senators Taque, Duffey, Beardsley, English, Metzger, Elsner, McCullough.

Mines and Mining

Senators James, Furnas, Bainum, Maier, Kiper, Laney, Kolsem.

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, Senators Furnas, Kiper, Wolfson, Ratts, Brown, Kolsem, Hepler.

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Senators Strode, Metzger, Hogston, Munton, Bowers, Decker.

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Senators Wolfson, Munton, James, Kline, Masters, McConaha, Arnold.

Reformatories

Senators Ratts, Brown, Furnas, Self, McCray, Arnold, Elsner.

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Rivers and Waters

Senators Bainum, McConaha, Dobyns, McKinley, Grant, Hepler, Arnold.

Roads

Senators Dobyns, Duffey, Tague, Beardsley, Nejdl, Elsner, Cravens.

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Soldiers and Sailors Monument

Senators Negley, Dobyns, English, Kline, McConaha, Bracken, Hepler.

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Senators Bowers, Beardsley, Alldredge, Duffey, Hogston, Decker, Bracken.

Swamp Lands and Drains

Senators Smith, Bowers, Brown, Maier, Tague, Kolsem, Arnold.

Telegraphs and Telephones

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349	July 12	English	pupils	Ind. post S.
350	July 12	Negley	assessmentsPERNICIOUS HOARD-	2d reading S.
351	July 13	Bainum	ING, prohibiting COMPENSATION of cer- tain state and county	Third reading S.
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353	July 13	Brown	be reduced because of change in population LEGALIZING CERTAIN CONTRACTS of school cities and	Chapter 28.
354	July 13	Dobyns	towns	Chapter 33.
355	July 13	McKinley	LAW amendment NEW PRECINTS on	Roads.
356	July 13	McKinley	account of womens' vote. AMENDMENT to ab-	Elections.
357	July 13	Maier . :	sent voters' law VOTING MACHINES in	Rep. fav. S.
358	July 13	Maier	city elections	Rep. fav. S.
359	July 13	Masters	tionPARK DEPARTMENTS,	Elections.
360	July 13	Masters	increasing powers SALARY of election offic-	Chapter 32.
361	July 13	Munton	ials DRAINAGE LAWS, affecting Noble and La-	Elections.
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•	364	July 13	Southworth	PRECINCT BOUNDA-	Roads.
	365	July 13	Southworth	RIES, changes in REGISTRATION of	Elections.
	366	July 13	Strode	voters, amendment POLL CLERKS, appoint- ment from each leading	Elections.
	367	July 13	Strode	party FLOOD PREVENTION	Elections.
	368	July 13	Tague	LAW amended PUBLIC DEPOSITORY	Chapter 2.
	369	July 13	Kline	LAW amended	Ind. post. S. Fees & Salaries.
	370	July 13	English	TAX LEVY additional for cities of 1st class	Jud. A.
	371	July 13	Hogston	FIRE DEPARTMENTS, two platoons	Rejec. by Gov.
	372	July 13	Hogston	TEACHERS, length of	-
	373	July 13	Nejdl	contract	Ind. post. S.
	374	July 13	Self	amending act COUNTIES, permit to sell certain real estate to	Chapter 12.
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	379	July 13	Elsner	MISSION abolished WOMEN, eligible to pub-	En.cl. struck out
	380	July 13	Arnold	lic office RENT PROFITEERING	Elections.
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	382	July 13	Laney	operation with Red Cross	Co. & twp. bus.
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388	July 14	Laney	MARKER at Gen. Har- rison encampment	Ind. post. S.
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511	Fifield	ROADS, county unit, amending	Rej. by Gov.
512	Southard	REGISTRATION, permanent	Elections.
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